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BROADCAST BY CHURCHILL: INVASION WITHOUT MASTERY OF AIR VERY HAZARDOUS

"This cruel bombing of London is part of Herr Hitler's plan for invasion. He hopes by killing numbers of civilians—women and children—to terrorise the people of this Imperial city and make them an anxious burden on the Government and so to distract attention from the ferocious onslaught which he is preparing. Little does he know the British nation and the tough fibre of the Londoner who has been bred to value freedom far above his life."

These words formed part of a broadcast to the nation by the Right Hon. Winston Churchill, Prime Minister, from Daventry, last night.

Mr. Churchill opened his talk by stating that the proportion of the German losses to the British was on an average of three to one in machines and six to one in pilots.

"This effort of the Germans to secure mastery of the air over England is the crux of the whole war. We have grown strong and are actually growing stronger than when the hard fighting began in July.

"There is no doubt that Herr Hitler is steadily using up his air force. If he goes on at this rate for many more weeks he will wear down and ruin this vital part of his air strength."

"On the other hand, for him to try to invade this Island without securing mastery of the air would be a very hazardous undertaking."

Mr. Churchill said there was evidence that preparations for an invasion on a great scale were steadily going forward. Several hundreds of self-propelled barges were moving down the coast of Europe from Norway to Holland and from Dunkirk to Brest and right down to the Bay of Biscay.

NEW BATTERIES
Besides this there were merchant ships which were moving toward the Straits of Dover into the Channel under the protection of the new batteries which the Ger-

mans have erected on the French coast. There was also a considerable gathering of shipping in French ports.

Preparations were going forward for ships to carry the invading forces from Norwegian harbours. Behind all these preparations numbers of German troops were waiting the hour to go on board and set out on their very dangerous and uncertain voyage across the seas.

"We cannot tell when they will try to come," declared Mr. Churchill. "We cannot be sure that they will try at all. But

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HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE FEARED: BOMB WRECKS EAST END SCHOOL: DOCTORS WORK BY TORCHLIGHT

LONDON, SEPT. 11 (REUTER)—IT HAS JUST BEEN REVEALED THAT IT IS FEARED A LARGE NUMBER OF MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN EVACUATED FROM THEIR HOMES AFTER SATURDAY'S RAID, HAVE LOST THEIR LIVES, WHEN A SCHOOL IN THE EAST END OF LONDON WAS WRECKED BY A BOMB ON MONDAY NIGHT.

About 500 refugees had found temporary accommodation in the school. Doctors and nurses were rushed to the scene in response to the general call and worked by torchlight, giving treatment to the survivors rescued from under the debris many of whom were given morphine injections.

The school appears to have had a direct hit.

CHAOTIC CONDITIONS IN UNOCCUPIED FRANCE

NEW YORK, SEPT. 11 (REUTER)—THE CHAOTIC CONDITIONS IN UNOCCUPIED FRANCE are described in letters from American social workers at present there and published in the NEW YORK HERALD-TRIBUNE.

"France is the most disorganized civilised country possible to imagine," declared one letter and adds that whole families are searching for its members.

New 4-Storey Fire Station For Wanchai

Erection of a new Eastern Fire Station will probably be commenced in the very near future. The station is to be situated at the corner of Hennessy Road and Canal Road, East, Wanchai.

The proposed site is at the present an empty plot of ground.

Work will be undertaken immediately a tender has been accepted by Government. Tenders are now being invited for piling of foundations and erection of the new station.

The station building is to be of four floors with the necessary accommodation for several fire engines and ambulances.

The existing Eastern Fire Station, situated at the corner of Thompson Road and the old No. 2 Police Station, Wanchai, will be made available for use by the Auxiliary Fire Service.

NEW P.A.A. SERVICE

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 11 (REUTER)—Pan-American Airways are today inaugurating the San Francisco-New Zealand air passenger service with 14 passengers for Auckland.

Another understands that the Germans are keeping refugees out of Northern France until the crops are harvested when they may be permitted to return to their demolished homes.

A third worker describes 2,000 German and Austrian refugees living like animals in a camp at Nines and another 6,000 refugees in a camp at Saint Cyprien awaiting handing-over to the Gestapo.

Another worker says that the food situation is steadily going from bad to worse.

Masonry girders crumbled down on the refugees who were sheltering on the ground floor of the school, having no basement.

The rescue parties carefully raised the pieces of debris in the hope of saving victims alive.

Survivors were taken to various hospitals where operations continued all night.

A resident nearby declared that an aerial torpedo or a landmine was dropped as "they were no ordinary explosions."

The devastating effect of one explosion was shown by a crater 40 feet wide and 20 feet deep.

The whole district suffered.

Streets upon streets presented a mass of wreckage. With the exception of those at the school, casualties appear to have been

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Japan And Fortification Of Guam

TOKYO, Sept. 11 (REUTER)—"There is no change in Japan's attitude toward the question of the fortification of Guam, which has already been manifested," stated the Foreign Office spokesman, Mr. Suma, at a Press conference today.

This was in reply to an American correspondent who referred to the question of fortification of Guam as coming to the surface again.

The spokesman pointed out that the question was "a very old one."

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MR. CHURCHILL

CONGESTION OF REFUGEES IN LISBON

LISBON, Sept. 11 (REUTER)—Accommodation in flying-boats and American shipping have been booked up till December.

A great number of refugees are still in Portugal awaiting visas for the United States and the American Republics.

The Portuguese authorities have forbidden the further entrance of refugees into the country while the congestion remains.

Dr. Smalley's Son Wins The D.F.C.

Their many friends in the Colony will join in congratulating Dr. and Mrs. James T. Smalley on the well-deserved award of a Distinguished Flying Cross to their younger son, Flying Officer J. R. T. Smalley, who is with an R.A.F. bomber squadron.

F. O. Smalley has been flying for the past three years.

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INDO-CHINA TENSION ACUTE: DECOUX GRANTS JAPANESE THREE AERODROMES, REPORT

SINGAPORE, SEPT. 11 (REUTER)—IT IS RELIABLY STATED THAT THE TENSION IN INDO-CHINA IS ACUTE AND THAT VICE-ADMIRAL DECOUX, GOVERNOR GENERAL, HAS AGREED TO GRANT THE JAPANESE THREE AERODROMES, with sites unspecified and 1,000 personnel each, and the passage of 20,000 troops to China, where two divisions of Japanese are believed to be cornered by Chinese crack troops.

It is stated that all members of elected bodies in Saigon who met on Saturday at noon to discuss the position voiced strong opposition to any agreement with Japan.

It was later reported from a reliable source that Adm. Decoux declared that no agreement had been reached, but that he had been instructed to discuss and grant certain facilities within the limits indicated by Vichy.

Adm. Decoux was stated to have declared that he would not grant even those within limits.

CABLES TO ROOSEVELT
A well-informed traveller just arrived from Saigon, interviewed by Reuter, reports that Adm. De-

R.A.F. RAIDS HUNDREDS OF INCENDIARIES ON TERMINI IN HEART OF NAZI CAPITAL

Raid Believed Most Destructive So Far Experienced

LONDON, Sept. 11 (British Wireless)—The Air Ministry states that Potsdam station, in the heart of Berlin, was repeatedly hit with heavy bombs and several hundred incendiaries when the R.A.F. again raided the German capital on Tuesday night.

Potsdam is one of Berlin's main termini, handling the traffic for Magdeburg and South-West Germany.

TYPICAL OF THE PRESENT R.A.F. BOMBING OPERATIONS THIS RAID WAS MADE BY A FORCE OF BOMBERS WHICH DELIVERED THE ATTACK WITH GREAT PRECISION.

Although there was a ground-haze over parts of the city, the aircraft located the station and at 11.45 p.m. began the attack. Pilots of all the machines engaged claimed direct hits on the station and its yards.

Several of them made glide attacks through an anti-aircraft barrage. As showers of incendiaries followed the heavy bombs, fires broke out. One was particularly large, and several smaller ones were seen.

The raiders left for home after releasing all their bombs.

PARACHUTE FLARES

BERLIN, Sept. 11 (REUTER)—Dropping so many parachute flares to light up their objective that a newspaper could be read in any street, the Royal Air Force, from midnight to 2 a.m. caused Berlin to suffer under one of the worst raids that it has had yet during which the heart of the capital was bombed.

It is estimated that it was a 500-lb. bomb.

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American correspondents report that the morale of Londoners continues at its best.

The NEW YORK TIMES correspondent says they are standing in the Queen's sitting room, which is still intact, although damaged by debris.

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BUCKINGHAM PALACE DAMAGED BY DELAYED ACTION BOMB

LONDON, SEPT. 11 (REUTER)—HOW BUCKINGHAM PALACE WAS DAMAGED THOUGH HAPPILY NOT SERIOUSLY, BY A delayed action bomb which exploded on Tuesday near the Palace swimming pool, is related by Reuter's correspondent, who visited the Palace grounds this morning.

The bomb exploded with terrific force blowing out the eastern entrance of the swimming pool and causing damage to windows on the northern side of the Palace.

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King, Queen Take Shelter In Police Station

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Suwa Maru With Japanese Evacuees

TOKYO, Sept. 11 (REUTER)—The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Suwa Maru, with some 70 Japanese evacuees from London will be sailing from Dublin on Sept. 14 en route to Lisbon, via Belfast. It was revealed by the Foreign Office spokesman today.

The Japanese authorities are approaching the German Government with a request to guarantee the safety of the Suwa Maru, the spokesman added.



In the World of Sports



WANING ENTHUSIASM OF LOCAL BALL PLAYERS: U.S. TROUNCE PORTUGAL IN EXPLOSIVE INT'L CHALLENGE TILT

BY R.O.Y.

COMING AFTER MANY SUCCESSIVE weeks of close and enter-taining baseball, last week's games were somewhat disappointing, the waning enthusiasm of local players being very evident, especially when the League had difficulty in fielding a full line-up against the U.S. Navy on Sunday morning.

A FAIRLY LARGE GATHERING of fans turned out to see the Portugal-America challenge match, the former having already won the International Championship when "Ashville" players represented the Stars and Stripes instead of the Mindanao boys, but their anticipations of a close tussle were not realised as the Americans coasted through to a wide 17-5 victory.

Although the final result was terribly one-sided, the game was size not without its explosive moments and dazzling performances.

The big explosion came in the second frame when Portugal scored three tallies, the last of which caused the dispute; with the bags loaded. Nick Beltrao singled to right to drive in Al Alvares while Hans Waggoner was relaying the ball to Cecil Douglas. The last-named unleashed a wild peg that allowed Spotty Pereira to score, as it is overruled by the local ground rule which allows runners one base on overthrows at first, third or home bases.

PERSONAL TRIUMPH

As for the game itself, America's victory was a personal triumph for "Ski" Powlowski who, beside hurling winning ball, passed the hitters with five-in-five, including a rousing triple. Tony Muscavage, who has developed into one of the best receivers ever seen in the colony, and "Seabiscuit" Douglas both clouted homers that pushed runners-in-ahead-of-them. With out hitting for extra bases, Pete Peterson distinguished himself by driving in three tallies with a drive of bingles.

Nick Beltrao led Portugal's batting parade with 2-in-2 although Eddie Gosano was a close rival with two singles in three trips to the plate. Linho Gosano was their best defender, many of the others coming up with bonehead plays that were more costly than actual errors would have been.

INTEREST DAMPENED

Sunday's game between the Navy and the League started late as the locals had to scratch around at the last minute to make up a full complement of players, and the fans' long wait did much to dampen their interest in the game which ended 6-3 in favour of the blue-jackets.

Although the final margin of three runs could not be considered large, the sailors always had the game well in hand and their victory was a lot easier than the scores indicate.

Lefty Stockton, on the mound for Navy, and Bill Chang, hurling for the locals, were both in excellent form, neither conceding even one free pass. Both received solid support from their fielders but the latter yielded twelve hits that were good for twenty bases while the former was being nicked for seven safeties that went for only nine bags.

PERFECT AVERAGE

Circuit clouters were again Tony Muscavage and Seabiscuit Douglas but the best hitter was "Ski" Powlowski who maintained his perfect weekend average with three-in-three, including a pair of two-baggers. Rabbi Babbachis connected for 2-in-2 to lead the others.

For the locals, Dave Leonard showed a welcome return to form by garnering two hits for a healthy .667 average while George Souza narrowly missed top honours by having an extra time at bat with the same number of hits, but getting a double apiece.

The other local batters could make nothing out of Stockton's southpaw deliveries, but they all gave excellent defensive displays that played a great part in holding the Navy scoring down to a reasonable figure.

NAVY WIN SOCCER PRACTICE

In a friendly soccer practice game played at Causeway Bay yesterday Royal Navy defeated 30th Hwy. Bty., R.A. by four clear goals, there being no score at the interval.

Navy again took a long time to settle down but once they had settled down they played a good game and during the second half, generally had the better of the gunners.

Hendy and O'Regan were again in good form and were the best among the forwards, while Roughley and Honwell were safe in defense.

Guy, R.A. and Interport pivot, was in his usual form but the rest of the team was not quite up to the standard of the team.

The scorers were O'Regan (2), Phippens and Hendy.

34TH REPORT OF H.K. CRICKET LEAGUE

ANNUAL MEETING ON MONDAY

The Hongkong Cricket League annual meeting will be held at the Urban Council Chamber, Post Office Building (by kind permission), on Monday, Sept. 16, at 5.15 p.m.

The 34th report states, in part: There were 7 entries in the 1st Division and 9 in the 2nd, making a total of 16 teams in the League.

In the 1st Division, the championship of the season was carried off by the Kowloon Cricket Club without a defeat, winning 4 out of 6 games and drawing the remaining 2 thus ending the season with 14 pts. Club de Recreio was 2nd points, was 2nd.

Honours for the 2nd Division were very keenly contested for, the Police Recreation Club and Indian Recreation Club ended the season with 19 pts. each. The championship was finally decided in a play-off which was won by the Police Recreation Club.

Notable absences from the League were the Hongkong Cricket Club and the Royal Navy.

The Hongkong University after years of absence from the 1st Division sent in a team to take over the fixtures of the Royal Navy who withdrew before the season opened. The Royal Air Force's appearance for the first time in the 2nd Division is very welcomed.

League cricket tables for the season 1939/40 were as follows:

FIRST DIVISION

	P. W. L. D. Pts.
K.C.C.	5 4 0 2 14
Recreio	6 3 1 2 11
Army	5 3 2 0 9
I.R.C.	6 2 1 3 9
C.C.C.	5 2 2 1 7
C.S.C.C.	4 0 3 1 1
University	6 0 5 1 1

SECOND DIVISION

Police	8 6 1 1 19
I.R.C.	8 6 1 1 19
Recreio	7 5 2 0 15
K.C.C.	8 4 0 1 12

ANNUAL MEETING OF H.K.L.H.C.

The annual general meeting of the Hongkong Ladies' Hockey Club was held on Tuesday, with Mrs. W. Daldal in the chair.

It was decided that there be no League matches this season, although friendly matches would be arranged.

The chairman mentioned that \$800 had been donated by the Club to the War Fund.

EUROPEAN "Y" SWIMMING TITLES

Fine Performance By G. T. May

Although none of the events in the European Y.M.C.A. championships held last night at the "Y" pool were closely contested, nevertheless some fine swimming was seen.

In the 880 yards free style G. T. May swam exceedingly well to annex first place with much to spare, while in the 50 yards breast stroke R. A. Dodd used the "butterfly" stroke to great effect and won comfortably.

As was generally expected, B. S. Wilson won the 50 yards back stroke with comparative ease.

RESULTS

1. 50 yards breast stroke:—1. R. A. Dodd, 2. A. Hyman, 3. P. A. McKenzie.
Time: 33 1/5 secs.
2. Boys' 50 yards free style:—1. G. Saunders, 2. N. McQueen. Time: 30 2/5 secs.
3. 50 yards back stroke:—1. B. S. Wilson, 2. F. Wilson.
3. H. Hunchback. Time: 33 2/5 secs.
4. 880 yards free style:—1. G. T. May, 2. L. A. Benn, 3. B. S. Wilson. Time: 12 mins. 56 2/5 secs.

TONIGHT'S EVENTS

The following championship events will be held at the "Y" pool commencing at 7.15 tonight:

1. 50 yards free style:—R. Goldmann, G. T. May, Q. Quicksilver, H. C. Eardley and A. Smith.
2. 440 yards free style:—G. Arnold, G. T. May, L. A. Benn, N. Jennings.
3. 100 yards (Boys) free style:—B. Long, G. Saunders and N. McQueen.
4. 100 yards (Boys) free style:—W. S. Gegg, P. A. McKenzie, Q. Quicksilver and A. Hyman.
5. 100 yards (Boys) free style:—B. Long, G. Saunders and N. McQueen.

ARMY WATER-POLO

Middlesex defeated the Royal Scots on Tuesday night and entered the final of the League Units Knockout water-polo competition.

The team will meet either the Signals or 8th Heavy Regiment in the final.

Goscombe-O'Sullivan Bowls Draw

The draw for the Goscombe-O'Sullivan lawn bowls Cup competition, to be played on Sunday, is as follows:

1. P. W. D. "C" v. Prison "B"
2. Police "A" v. Police "C"
3. Sanitary "A" v. Medical "C"
4. Sanitary "A" v. P. W. D. "B"
5. Prison "A" v. Medical "B"
6. Medical "A" v. Police "B"
7. C. S. O. v. P. W. D. "B"
8. P. W. D. "D" v. Education

Rounds to be played on dates as follows:—First round to be played on Sept. 15; first four matches at 10.30 a.m. and the second four at 3.30 p.m.

Second round will be played at 10.30 a.m. Sept. 22, and the semi-final will be played on the same day at 3.30 p.m.

Final will be decided on Sept. 29, commencing at 3.30 p.m.

All matches will be played at Police Recreation Club green.

All interested in bowls are cordially invited to all matches. Refreshment may be obtained on signing a chit on the visitors own clubs.

Each team will consist of five men, any four of whom will be eligible to play at any time.

It is understood that Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith will be playing for the C. S. O. team.

"HARRY TATE" AT K.C.C.

The next concert at the Kowloon Cricket Club will be held on Saturday, September 14.

Amongst the items to be presented will be The Hillbillies, Hawaiian Serenaders, Gus Aquino, popular airs on the organ, a spot of legerdemain, and elocution.

The entertainment will wind up with "Harry" Tate's hilarious sketch "Motoring". Members who have not already done so, should make reservations for supper.

ANNUAL MEETING

MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION INCREASED AT I.R.C.

A PROPOSAL THAT THE MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION FOR MEMBERS BE INCREASED FROM \$1.50 TO \$2 AS FROM OCTOBER 1, 1940, was passed unanimously at the annual general meeting of the Indian Recreation Club yesterday.

Some opposition was voiced to the proposal on the ground that the increased subscription might meet the resignation of a number of members who were not active in sports and merely supported the club by their subscriptions. It was also argued that the increased subscription fee would discourage new members from joining the club.

The President, Mr. A. el Arculli, in hand and at bank of \$200.97 as compared to \$213.89 at the previous year. The year ended with a total of 142 members on the register.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers were elected to serve during the coming year:

President, A. el Arculli; Vice-Presidents, C. Rahim and Badan Singh; Hon. Secretary, M. A. Wahab; Hon. Treasurer, S. A. Rumjahn; Cricket Captain, 1st XI, K. Nazarin; Vice-Captain, M. el Arculli; Captain, 2nd XI, M. R. Abbas; Vice-Captain, A. H. Ismail; Tennis Representative, A. H. Madar; Bowl Convenor, D. M. Khan; Committee Members, R. Nazarin, A. G. Suffad, R. M. Omar, Dr. H. el Arculli, H. T. Barma, A. Rahmin and M. Y. Adal.

APPRECIATION OF SPLENDID SPORTSMANSHIP OF KUMAONS

On a motion by Mr. C. Guigam, the Council of the Hongkong Football Association recorded a note of appreciation of the excellent and sportsmanlike manner in which the members of the Kumaon Rifles football team had conducted themselves during their three years in Hongkong when they played in League games.

An appeal by Mr. R. M. Omar to circumscribe the various clubs to the Council for protection of referees against remarks being directed at them by officials of clubs criticising their refereeing, resulted in some discussion after which the chairman promised that he would look into the matter and see what could be done.

The meeting was brief.

After the minutes of Council meeting No. 2 and of League Management Committee No. 2 had been passed and the statement of accounts, showing a cash balance in hand of \$5,184.48, had been adopted, the meeting terminated with the usual vote of thanks to the chair.

Mr. Wong Ka-tsun, chairman, presided, assisted by Mr. C. A. Goldenberg, Hon. Secretary.

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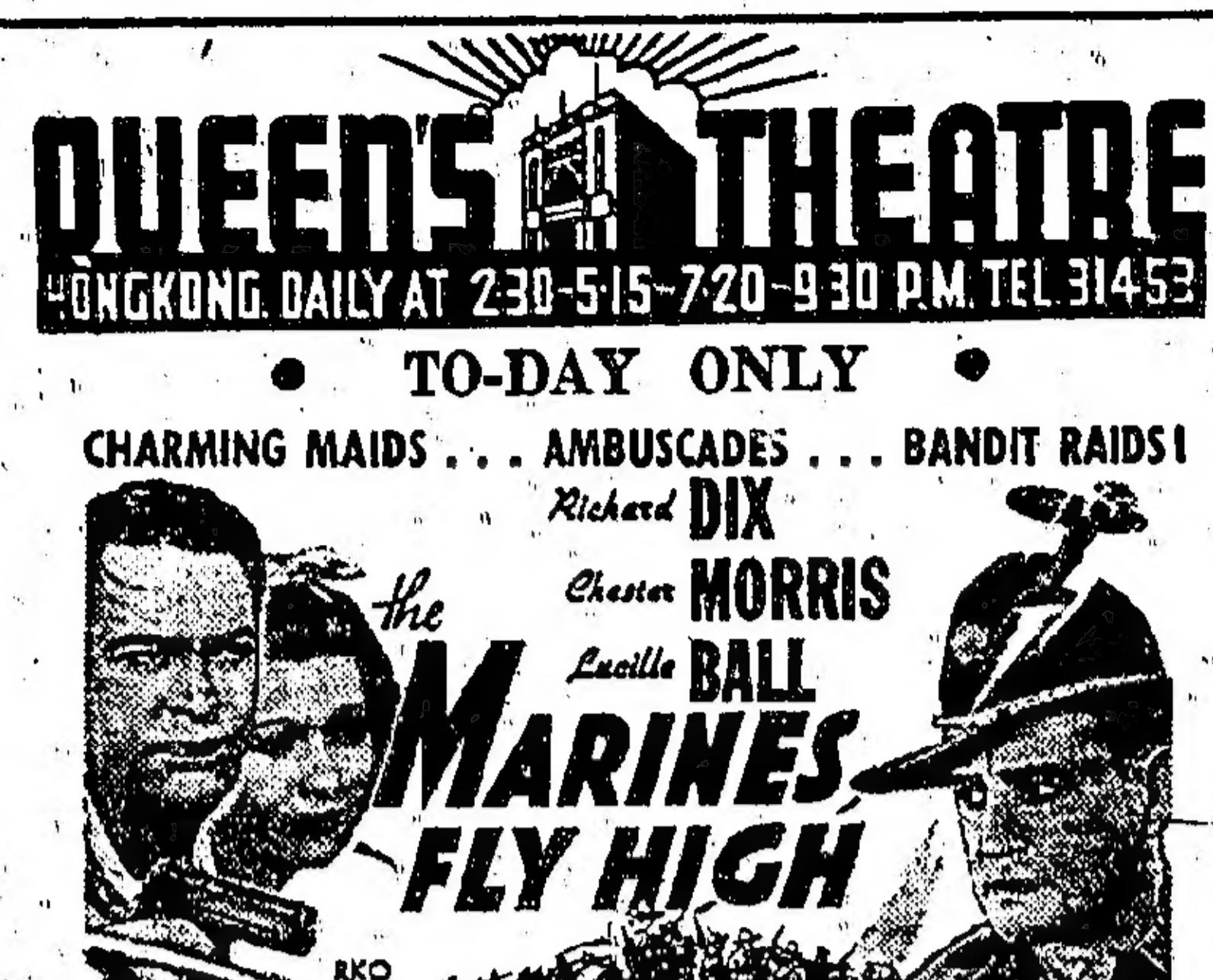
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TO-MORROW : Wallace Beery in "THUNDER AFLOAT" M.G.M. PICTURE



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TO-MORROW : Cesar Romero, Mary Beth Hughes in 20th Century Fox Picture : "LUCKY CISCO KID"

"ELIZABETH AND ESSEX" AT THE KING'S TODAY

"Maybe I'm exaggerating when I say that Elizabethan love-making is just like twentieth century necking," says director Michael Curtiz; "but what I mean is that fundamentally they are the same thing and the modern motion picture audience understands the latter a lot better than it does Sir Walter Raleigh and Shakespearean schools of love-making. Maybe Essex didn't take Elizabeth out in his roadster and park neckers when he made love to the 'Queen'."

Consequently, when Mike trained his directorial talents on Warner Bros.' technicolour production, "The Private Lives of Elizabeth and Essex," showing today at the King's Theatre, he was determined not to be blinded by a lot of queenly robes and knightly trappings when it came to the business of love-making, of which there is more than considerable.

"It's got more emotion packed into it than any story I have ever seen. It is my opinion that he read, and I've read plenty, talked the same language as the Mike, and I am not going to spoil this great tragic love story of Queen Elizabeth and Essex (Bette Davis and Errol Flynn) by putting in a lot of flowery gestures and high-sounding talk which doesn't mean a thing. People today don't understand that kind of stuff. They know how they make love; and that's the way I'm going to have Mr. Errol Flynn and Miss Bette Davis, my actors, make love in this picture."

COMING EVENTS

SEPT.
12—Tides: High 5:53 a.m. and 8:08 p.m. Low 1:07 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:09 a.m. Sunset: 6:30 p.m.
Entries close for H.K. Jockey Club's Seventh Extra Meeting, 12 noon.
European YMCA Swimming Championships.

H.K.Y.'s Men's Club Weekly Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m.: Speaker — Mr. Edgard Shin on "Insects in the Colony."

Legislative Council Meeting, 2:30 p.m.

Cheero Club: Bridge and Mahjong, Victoria Chess Club, Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m.

Kowloon Chess Club, Peninsula Hotel, 5:30 p.m.

Cathedral Women's Fellowship Working Party, Cathedral Hall, 3:30 p.m.

St. Andrew's Working Party (Medical), 10 a.m.

Helena May Inst. B.W.O.F. Knitting Centre.

R.A.O.B. Club: Extraordinary General Meeting, 8 p.m.

13—Tides: High 6:55 a.m. and 8:37 p.m. Low 12:14 a.m. and 1:41 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:09 a.m. Sunset: 6:29 p.m.
Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

Cheero Club: Dart and Table Tennis.

A.R.P. Lectures for House-Boys on Pest, at Peak Club, 2:30 p.m.

European YMCA Swimming Championships.

Volunteer Nursing Detachment, First Aid Lecture, St. John's Cathedral Hall, 5:30 p.m.

Christ Church Vicarage: Bridge Drive, 6:30 p.m.

14—Tides: High 7:47 a.m. and 9:04 p.m. Low 1:09 a.m. and 2:35 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:10 a.m. Sunset: 6:28 p.m.
Claims against estate of Frank Malcolm Lane Crawford due.

Kowloon Cricket Club: Stag Supper and Smoking Concert, 9 p.m.
St. Teresa's Hospital to be opened by the Vicar apostle of Hongkong, Rev. H. Valorta, 4 p.m.

Entries close Swimming Championships.

H.E. the Acting Governor to Dine with the Hon. the Colonial Secretary and Mrs. N. L. Smith, 6:15 p.m.

15—Tides: High 8:34 a.m. and 9:27 p.m. Low 1:56 a.m. and 2:44 a.m.
Sunrise: 6:16 a.m. Sunset: 6:27 p.m.
Macao Jockey Club's September Race Meeting.

Claims against estate of John Barber Roberts due.

Y.M.C.A.: Discussion Group, 9 p.m.

16—Tides: High 9:14 a.m. and 9:49 p.m. Low 2:37 a.m. and 3:15 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:16 a.m. Sunset: 6:26 p.m.
Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

Meeting of All Cricket Clubs, Urban Council Chamber, 5:15 p.m.

China Underwriters, Ltd., call on shares payable.

17—Tides: High 9:49 a.m. and 10:11 p.m. Low 3:18 a.m. and 3:44 p.m.

Sunrise: 6:11 a.m. Sunset: 6:25 p.m.

H.K. Rotary Club Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m.: Speaker—Major J. L. Wilcockson on "What Can We Do With the Prisoner."

Swimming Championship Heats at V.R.C.

Criminal Sessions Open, 10 a.m.

18—Tides: High 10:24 a.m. and 10:27 p.m. Low 3:55 a.m. and 4:16 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:11 a.m. Sunset: 6:24 p.m.
Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

Swimming Championship Heats at V.R.C.

H.K. Hockey Assn. Annual Meeting, St. Andrew's Hall, 6 p.m.

Entries close for South China A.A. Swimming Championships, 7:30 p.m.

19—Tides: High 10:54 a.m. and 10:44 p.m. Low 4:35 a.m. and 4:42 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:11 a.m. Sunset: 6:23 p.m.

H.K.Y.'s Men's Club Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m.

Swimming Championship Heats at V.R.C.

H.K. Hockey Assn. Annual Meeting, St. Andrew's Hall, 6 p.m.

Entries close for South China A.A. Swimming Championships, 7:30 p.m.

20—Tides: High 11:25 a.m. and 11:04 p.m. Low 5:14 a.m. and 5:06 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:11 a.m. Sunset: 6:22 p.m.

R.A.O.C. Monthly Dinner—Speaker, Mr. D. B. Evans "Measurement of Distant Sounds."

Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

Colony Swimming Championships, 6:15 p.m.

South China A.A. Swimming Championships, 7:15 p.m.

Vocal Recital at Peninsula Hotel, 9:15 p.m.

21—Tides: High 11:55 a.m. and 11:27 p.m. Low 5:56 a.m. and 5:27 p.m.

H.K.Y.A. League First Round starts.

H.K. Jockey Club's Seventh Extra Race Meeting at Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

South China A.A. Swimming Championships, 2:30 p.m.

22—Tides: High 12:37 p.m. Low

6:42 a.m. and 5:42 p.m.

Sunrise: 6:12 a.m. Sunset: 6:20 p.m.

Y.M.C.A.: Discussion Group, 9 p.m.

23—Tides: High 12:02 a.m. and 1:40 p.m. Low 5:38 a.m. and 5:54 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:12 a.m. Sunset: 6:19 p.m.

Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.), Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

St. Andrew's Club annual mtg., 9 p.m.

24—Tides: High 12:47 a.m. and 3:17 p.m. Low 5:58 a.m. and 6:08 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:12 a.m. Sunset: 6:18 p.m.

H.K. Rotary Club Tiffin Meeting, 1 p.m.

Ladies' Golf—Autumn Meeting and "Tomstone" Competition.

Radio Programmes

HONGKONG

N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra conducted by Arturo Toscanini.

2:15 Close down.
6:00 Nelson Eddy (Baritone) and the New Light Symphony Orchestra.

Raymond — Overture (Thomas) — New Light Symphony Orchestra.

Dusty Road (Rene) — Through the Years (Hayman-Younans) — Nelson Eddy (Baritone) with Orch. Romance (Chalkowsky). In A Monastery Garden (Ketelby) — New Light Symphony Orchestra.

Haydn Symphony — By The Waters of Minnetonka (Lieurance) — Nelson Eddy (Baritone) with Piano.

Dance No. 1 (Oriental) — New Light Symphony Orchestra.

6:30 Closing Local Stock Quotations.

6:32 Haydn — Quartet in A-Major, Op. 55, No. 1.

Pro Arte Quartet.

6:30 Chopin — Ballades.

Ballade No. 3 in A Flat Major, Op. 47: Ballade No. 4 in F Minor, Op. 52 — Alfred Cortot (Piano).

7:07 Tchaikovsky — Casse Nolte, Op. 71A.

Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.

7:30 London Relay — The News.

8:08 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8:09 Studio Two: Piano Jazz Recital by Hal Lorenzo and Toby Gray.

8:33 Short Variety Programme.

Humorous Monologue — Three Happy Feet (Edgar) — Stanley Holloway with Piano.

These Foolish Things (from "Spread abroad") — Lights Out (Hill) — Greta Keller with Orch. Vocal — Some of these Days (Brooks) — The Mills Brothers (Four Boys and a Guitar).

8:45 Studio — Local Newsletter.

9:00 London Relay — The News and Topical Talks.

9:45 Variety Programme.

Vocal — Let's All Join In The Chorus with Tommy Handley and His Pals — Intro: Daisy Bell: Don't dilly dally on the way; Nellie Dean: Oh, you beautiful Doll; etc. — Piano — Charlie Kunz Piano Medley No. D. 9 — Intro: Sympathy: You Needn't have kept it a secret; You're there; So Rare; etc. — Charlie Kunz, Vocal — The Laughter Parade (Montague-Dawn) — The Laughter Makers.

Orch. — Foolin' Myself (Lawrance and Tinturin) — Carroll Gibbons (Piano) & His Boy Friends.

Vocal — I Can't Believe That It's You (Gilbert Silver); I Cried for You (Lyman and Others) — Connie Boswell with Orchestra.

10:15 Dance Music.

Fox-Trots — Jeepers Creepers (film "Going Places") — Murphy in The Moon (film) — Paul Whiteman and His Swing Wing.

11:15 a.m. — Shall Always Remember You Smiling — Quickstep — Did You Go Down Lambeth Way — Victor Silvester and His Ballroom Orchestra.

Tango — By The Black Sea; My Dream Tan.

go — George Blane and His Orchestra.

Fox-Trot — Between a Kiss and a Smile, Quickstep — Could Be — Gerardo and His Orchestra.

Fox-Trot — Wishing (film "Love Affair") — One Sunday Afternoon — Billy Thorburn and His Music La Conga.

Waltz — Rumba — Let Me Whisper, I Love You — Don Marino Barreto and His Cuban Orch.

Fox-Trot — Peter Peter! Waltz — One Tiny Tear — Ray Noble and His Orchestra.

11:00 Close down.

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IMPORTANT GAS WORKS BLASTED BY AIR FORCE IN MIDNIGHT ATTACK

WIRELESS STATION BOMBED BY FLEET AIR ARM AIRCRAFT IN NORWAY: TRANSPORTS ATTACKED

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter) — A statement by the Air Ministry news service giving details about the raids on Germany says that the objectives in Berlin were the important Leukom gas works in the suburb of the city.

Bombs were seen to burst on the target and heavy explosions occurred during the attack, which began about midnight and was carried out in the face of intense anti-aircraft fire.

The night's heaviest attack was directed against naval dockyards at Hamburg, where some high explosives and many incendiary bombs were dropped in half an hour of almost continuous bombing.

Warehouses on Bakenhafen were set alight and some of the many fires which broke out in the target area were still visible long after the raiders had left the city.

Aerodromes were attacked at Diepholz, Haya, Celle, Cuxhaven and Schiphol.

At Calais, barges were bombed for over an hour by relays of aircraft which attacked in a series of steep and shallow dives.

EARLIE EFFECT

The earlie effect produced by their bombs when they attacked Boulogne on Tuesday night was described by Coastal Command pilots in an Air Ministry news service bulletin.

The bombardment was carried out by Blenheims which found the targets through thick screens of drifting cloud.

"As fire broke out in a building on the main quays, actual flames could not be seen but through the cloud banks there was a sustained and radiant brilliance," said one pilot.

He added: "Twenty minutes later, the scene from above was more vivid. Other Blenheims came in to wind up the attack. Salvoes of bombs fell on and around an artillery arsenal, and then the clouds were pierced by shafts of crimson light from the recurrent explosions among the enemy's ammunition stores."

Other Coastal Command aircraft distributed nine tons of bombs over a concentration of barges and ships at Calais. Ostend and Flushing.

These attacks were made by Blenheims, Beauforts and Fleet Air Arm Albacores and Swordfish. Effective results were obtained despite powerful resistance from shore batteries and escort ships.

SUCCESSFUL ATTACKS

LONDON, Sept. 11 (B.W.S.) — Successful attacks announced in the Admiralty communiqué by aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm on an enemy supply ship and tanker off the Norwegian coast and oil depot in Norway follows closely on other offensive operations of the Fleet Air Arm over the Norwegian coast.

Comment is further made in London that casualties so slight as these given by the German wireless seem hardly to warrant the many fulminations about British bombing of civilians.

N.Z. SPITFIRE FUND

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter) — New Zealand has already raised £50,000 for the purchase of planes for Britain and aims at raising £100,000.

Of this sum, £33,600 has been contributed to a fund, just closed, started by the "New Zealand Herald" of Auckland.

NAZIS WANT OF LONDON

PREMIER CALLED UNREASONABLE!

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 11 (Reuter) — "Paralyse" or destruction of London's most important functions must be the aim of any nation fighting Britain," declares the Berlin newspaper, Voelkischer Beobachter, quoted by the Stockholm newspaper, Afton Bladet.

It is an exaggeration to call the present operations the Battle for Britain," says the German paper. According to the German idea, the correct description would be the Battle for London.

The paper adds: "Nobody expected London would not be affected by the war since London is the political, economic and financial centre as well as the nerve centre of the Empire."

The Afton Bladet's Berlin correspondent says that political circles in Berlin declare that they take the British attacks on Berlin and other places as a distinct sign of the British desire to continue the violent air warfare which has developed during recent days over the British Isles.

"Churchill will not respond to reason therefore we are obliged to continue the reprisal attacks," they say.

IN BERLIN

DIRECT HIT ON SCHOOL

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter) — Many bodies have hitherto been recovered from a school in East London which was wrecked by a direct hit during Tuesday night's raid.

Some of the persons extricated from beneath the mass of twisted girders and debris were still alive, but it is understood that they died while being conveyed in ambulances to hospital.

CLEAN-UP IN RUMANIA

REORGANISATION OF THE ARMY

BUCHAREST, Sept. 11 (Reuter) — A sudden halt has been made in the lavish state expenditure. The Crown Council is abolished and the Youth Movement is suppressed.

General Antonescu, the new Rumanian dictator, has initiated an enquiry into the fortunes of all the State's ministers of the last decade and also the expenditure of the Palace Secretariat.

General Antonescu's main concern, however, is declared to be reorganisation of the army.

He will dismiss 11 high officers charged with grave incapacity which is alleged to have led to the lost territory.

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DESTRUCTION

New London Scheme For Raid Warning

R.A.F. TO TRAIN WATCHERS

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter) — Air raid warnings by sirens henceforth will be regarded as "Alert" and not as alarm signals.

This is agreed upon by representatives of employers and employees in consultation with Government yesterday.

Watchers will be posted on roofs and vantage points to give warning of danger.

It is hoped that the scheme will start immediately and the R.A.F. have agreed to provide means for training watchers.

An examination is being made of the possibility of conveying a similar alarm to the general public.

Mr. Winston Churchill, recommending the proposal, urges all to co-operate to make it work "so as to minimise the dangers of surprise in these destructive attacks from our cruel and relentless enemy" and to improve it "in the light of experience till victory comes."



"Yes, the water buffalo at the ninth must have been annoyed
BUT—you've pinched our mug!"

TWO CHINESE SOCIETY WEDDINGS

Daughter Of Sir Robert Ho Tung Married

A quiet Chinese society wedding took place at the Registry yesterday morning when DR. (MISS) IRENE HO TUNG, daughter of Sir Robert Ho Tung, Kt., LL.D., and Lady Ho Tung, became the bride of MR. HSIANG-HSIEN TSENG, son of the late Mr. Tseng Loh-chuen and Mrs. Tseng Loh-chuen, of Piping.

Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, Registrar of Marriages officiated and the witnesses were Mr. C. C. Liu and Mr. Ho Wing, brother of the bride.

The Chinese wedding ceremony took place at the Gloucester Hotel yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large and distinguished gathering numbering about 300.

Mr. Leong Poon was Master of Ceremonies and the officiating witness was the Hon. Sir Shouson Chow, Kt., LL.D. Messrs. T. Y. C. Lee and J. M. Tan were the "match-makers."

CEREMONIAL GOWN

The bride, who wore Chinese ceremonial gown, was attended by Misses Phoebe and Vera Lo, daughters of the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Lo, as bridesmaids. They wore

Chinese dresses of salmon pink and silver lace and carried sheaves of pink gladioli and maidenhair fern.

Mr. G. Y. Chen was the best-man.

Appropriate speeches were made by Sir Shouson Chow, Dr. W. W. Yen, formerly Chinese Ambassador to the United States, Mr. Liu and Sir Robert Ho Tung wishing the couple long life, health and prosperity.

Guests present included Hon. Sir Shouson Chow, Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall, Kt., C.M.G., LL.D., Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, C.M.G. and Mrs. Smith, Dr. C. T. Wang, Dr. W. W. Yen, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Lo, Hon. Dr. and Mrs. Li Shufan, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Thomas Tam, Dr. and Mrs. Ma Luk, Prof. and Mrs. Gordon King, Dr. (Miss) P. Rutledge, Dr. (Miss) Katie Woo, M.B.E., Mr. Ho Kom-tong, O.B.E., Mr. and Mrs. Li Tse-fong, Mr. and Mrs. Kan Tong-po, Mr. and Mrs. Eu Tong-sen, Mr. S. M. Churn, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rutledge and many others.

LO-POON

Another Chinese society wedding took place at the Registry yesterday afternoon, when MISS POON LAU-FONG, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Poon U Tung, became the bride of MR. LO WING-WAI, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lo Sau-suen. Mr. J. Reynolds officiated at the Registry ceremony.

The bride, who was attended by her sister, Miss Sylvia Poon, as maid-of-honour, made a charming picture in a gown of white



Mr. Hsiang-hsien Ting and his bride, formerly Dr. (Miss) Irene Ho Tung.—(King's Studio).

ROUND THE POLICE COURTS

AT CENTRAL

S.C.A. PROSECUTIONS

A widow, Chan Luk, was summoned before Mr. Sheldon yesterday for failing to report change of address of her ward and was fined \$1.

Inspector H. W. Fraser, of the S. C. A., said defendant lived at Mong Loong Street and her premises was visited on July 12, Defendant was not there.

On her return Chan reported to the S. C. A. on July 26 and said she had been to the country.

Pang Luk, married woman, summoned for a similar offence, was fined the sum of \$2 by Mr. Sheldon.

Insp. Fraser said defendant's address was visited in October last year but defendant was not there. She came back to the Colony in July this year and made a report to the S. C. A. She had two wards under her care.

KIDNAPPING ALLEGED

A 50-year-old married woman, Tsang Fuk, appeared before Mr. G. T. Lowry yesterday on a kidnapping charge.

She was alleged to have kidnapped a 12-year-old girl, Wu Tai, on July 14.

Appearing together with Tsang was Lai Tsek-lim, 39, shop boy, and silver lace, cut on the princess model, with a trim collar and long tight-fitting sleeves. Her tulip veil was held in place with tiara of orange blossoms and she carried a sheaf of ginger lilies and maidenhair fern.

BEAUTIFUL FROCK

The maid-of-honour was attired in a beautiful frock of pink and silver lace cut on Victorian lines. She wore a Swiss veil head-dress, trimmed with pastel shades of forget-me-nots and carried a posy of tuber roses and maiden hair fern.

The bridegroom was attended by Mr. Charles Ma as bestman.

After the Registry ceremony a largely attended reception was held at the Hongkong Hotel, where friends and relatives gathered to offer their congratulations to the newly-weds.

AIRPORT NEWS

DENEBOLA TAKES H.K. MAIIS

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS OUTWARD SERVICE BY THE DENEBOLA (Capt. F. R. Garside and F/O Raeburn) left Kai Tak yesterday taking 107 kilos of mail from Hongkong for the United Kingdom, Indo-China, Malaya, Java and Australia, and two passengers—Mr. J. E. Horton and Mr. A. L. Lewis—both for Bangkok.

Another outward service is due to leave Kai Tak on Sunday morning.

An inward service by Imperial Airways is expected to arrive in Hongkong tomorrow afternoon and will be followed by another inward service on Tuesday next, Sept. 17.

CLIPPER DUE TODAY

Pan American Airways PHILIPINE CLIPPER is due this afternoon from Manila with U.S. mails, dated San Francisco, Sept. 3. She will leave on her return trip tomorrow morning.

The next Pan American Airways inward service is due by the CHINA CLIPPER, scheduled to arrive in Hongkong on Sept. 21, and leave the following morning.

748 on August 31.

Rural Areas:

Kam Tin 2,562 is against 2,564 on August 31.

Total 11,229 is against 11,142 on August 31.

Urban Areas (Civilians):

King's Park 1,248 against 1,253 on August 31.

Ma Tau Chung 1,465 against 1,392 on August 31.

North Point 1,422 against 1,412 on August 31.

Morrison Hill 547 against 545 on August 31.

Urban Areas (Soldiers):

Hospital 15 against 11 on August 31.

Argyle Street 710 against 714 on August 31.

Urban Areas (Squatters' Camps):

Tai Hang 2,488 as against 2,503 on August 31.

Ngau Tau Kok 771 as against 748 on August 31.

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Chinese Master Fined \$300 At Marine Court

A Chinese sea captain, Wong Si Fuk, master of a vessel plying in British waters, was fined \$300 with the alternative of six months imprisonment, when he appeared at the Marine Court yesterday morning on a charge of carrying 47 passengers in excess of the quota for the vessel concerned, which is now in port.

Mr. F. G. Nigel of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master appeared for the accused and in pleading guilty made an appeal in mitigation of sentence. The defendant was fined as stated. The fine was paid.

In the same Court the master of a launch was fined \$100 for carrying 27 passengers in excess of his quota. He too pleaded guilty. The fine was paid.

tionally charged with receiving 110 pigs.

Liu Fat, one of the four complainants, said that when they arrived in the Colony on Aug. 24 they saw that the defendants had in their possession three cages of chickens which the complainants identified as their lost property. The defendants were arrested.

Bail of \$500 was granted to the first defendant. Hearing was adjourned until this afternoon.

BROTHEL RAID SEQUEL

Lau Luen, 35, widow, Ho Wah, 36, and Ho Lai, 38, married women, appeared before Mr. Hinsworth on charges of keeping a brothel at No. 270 Kiling Street and of inducing or allowing girls, under the age of 16, to be prostitutes.

Insp. G. W. Moreton prosecuted. Three girls, Tang Luk-mui, 18, Cheung Ho, 14, and Cheng Sau-ying, 15, gave evidence that part of their income went to either the first or the third defendant. The first and the third defendants were each fined \$40, or one month in prison on the first charge and \$100, or two months' imprisonment on the second charge.

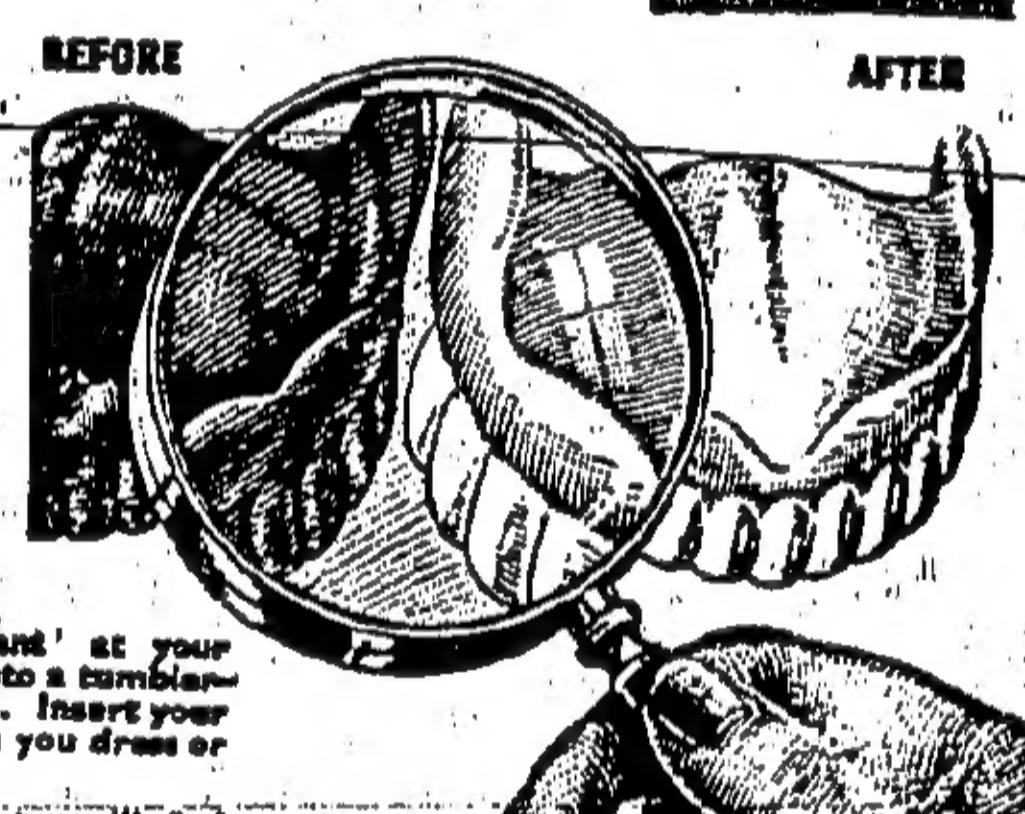
The second defendant was fined \$100, in default, two months' imprisonment on the second charge.

Mr. D. McCallum appeared for the first defendant was addi-

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CLAIM FOR RECOVERY OF \$838

A claim for the recovery of \$838 was brought before Mr. Justice E. H. Williams at the Summary Court yesterday. The plaintiff was O. B. Chuey, of the Bank of East Asia building, who was represented by Mr. J. M. D'Almada Remedios. The defendant was H. F. Lim, of No. 134, Sincere Terrace, Tai Po Road, who was represented by Mr. F. Zimmerman.

S.S. HANYANG

The S.S. Hanyang, the China Navigation Company's new vessel built at Takkoo Dockyard, carried out her trial run recently and she will shortly be on the Tientsin run.

A sister ship is still under building at the yard.

The dimensions of the ship are: overall 308 ft., beam 44 ft., draught 17 ft. 6½ ins., cargo capacity 2,500 tons deadweight, and 4,200 tons measurement.

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THE ASSAULT ON BRITAIN

THE NAZI ASSAULT on the world's stronghold of liberty continues with unabated and brutal vigour. From Saturday last, the British capital, which has been truly described as the nerve centre of the Empire, has been subjected to the most indiscriminate attacks from the air. Reports of the bombing of London indicate that the Nazi airmen, in carrying out the orders issued to them by their inhuman leaders, have discarded all pretence of aiming their bombs at military objectives.

High explosive and incendiary bombs are being scattered with ruthless abandon over the most crowded areas of the capital and have resulted in a number of casualties, unfortunately, chiefly among the poorer classes. The German excuse that these raids are in retaliation for indiscriminate bombing over Germany by British airmen will not stand the light of investigation. The whole world knows, from the lessons learned in Poland, Norway, Holland and Belgium, how contemptible are the statements issued by the German Reich on issues such as these.

THE NAZI DICTATOR, writhing under the tremendous and solid resistance his air force has met from Britain's defenders, hopes by these sordid methods to accomplish what he did in the countries now under his control in Europe. The panic and terror which he was able to create in Poland in Norway and the Low Countries has blinded him to the fact that in Britain he is up against a people of an entirely different mentality. His airmen have already found that British determination and spirit cannot be cowed. Today, amidst the screaming of bombs, the hiss of flames and the collapse of buildings, the British people stand calm and unperturbed, confident of their ability to endure, ready to make sacrifices and, above all, determined to keep their country and their Empire safe from the hand of Europe's plunderers. "We can take it" is their watchword under the terrible blast of inhuman destruction which Herr Hitler has launched. The Germans are also learning that Britain can also give as good as they can take. The bombing of German military and naval centres and the huge losses which the German air force is suffering at the hands of Britain's defence are assuming formidable proportions which in the

end must spell failure for these bestiality acts against all principles of humanity.

The British will to win will never be shaken and Nazi Germany will have a further list of crimes to answer for when the day of reckoning comes.

PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY

ONE CANNOT HELP feeling that the measures now being taken to combat the cholera epidemic in the Colony have come as usual, very late. In the early days of this summer, the health authorities fondly hoped that Hongkong would not be seriously affected by the scourge this year. The steps usually taken to prevent the disease from spreading were delayed, with the result that when it did begin to make itself apparent, it was too late to prevent an epidemic developing. Now it has been revealed that the source of the trouble has been traced to the insanitary water supply system in Kowloon City. For years it has been acknowledged by health experts that a sanitary pipe-borne water system must replace water supplies obtained from wells and streams. Despite this, the authorities neglected to take the necessary action to have these sources of water eliminated and demands for a proper pipe-borne system met with no response.

THE DISEASE had to reach an epidemic stage to rouse the authorities into action. The task before them, therefore, becomes more formidable. The public, however, have the right to insist that in Britain he is up against a people of an entirely different mentality. His airmen have already found that British determination and spirit cannot be cowed. Today, amidst the screaming of bombs, the hiss of flames and the collapse of buildings, the British people stand calm and unperturbed, confident of their ability to endure, ready to make sacrifices and, above all, determined to keep their country and their Empire safe from the hand of Europe's plunderers. "We can take it" is their watchword under the terrible blast of inhuman destruction which Herr Hitler has launched. The Germans are also learning that Britain can also give as good as they can take. The bombing of German military and naval centres should be opened for this purpose. This disease has already claimed an alarming toll of life and an emergency has been created which must not be allowed to continue.

EDITORIAL

SUPREME COURT ACTION:

PROTECTION UNDER EVICTION ORD. SOUGHT BY DEFENDANTS IN CLAIM FOR PREMISES

An action claiming for possession of No. 29, Queen's Road, West, was brought before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, at the Supreme Court yesterday.

The plaintiff in the case was Chung Yee-dai, of No. 39, Yin Wa Street, administrator of the estate of the late Chung Man-kin, who was represented by the Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada, Jr., instructed by the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, and the defendants were the Luen Fong firm, tobacco manufacturers, who were represented by Mr. Eldon Pottor, K.C., instructed by Mr. B. C. Hobbs of Messrs. Sutherland Russ Co.

The claim was that the defendants paid \$230 on a monthly tenancy which was terminated on March 31, 1940. The defendants failed to quit the premises after receiving notice and the plaintiff is seeking possession of the premises and mesne profits.

The statement of defence was that on March 17, 1939, in consideration of a monthly rental of \$230 and a loan of \$430, plaintiff promised the defendants the lease of the premises for two years. Alternatively, the defendants

sought protection under the Prevention of Eviction Ordinance.

SON OF OWNER

Mr. D'Almada said that the plaintiff was the son of the original owner of the premises in question, his deceased father. The rent for the premises was collected by the widow and concubine following the father's death, until a family arrangement was made when the plaintiff was given the premises as his share in the estate.

The defendants refused to pay rent to the plaintiff until the Letter of Administration had been taken out, but consequently agreed to pay the rent to him. In June 1939, plaintiff gave notice to the defendants to quit as he was negotiating with another party who would pay \$400 rent for the premises. The defendants did not leave the premises and requested further time to get new site. In the following months four more notices to quit were sent to the defendants.

LOAN REPAY

With regard to the loan made to the plaintiff, it was repaid to the defendants by deduction from the rent, except the sum of \$30 which was for legal costs.

Mr. D'Almada further stated that the ground and first floors of the premises were used as a shop, though with folks sleeping on them. The second and third floors were sub-let by the defendants as a separate establishment.

As the defendants did not reside on the premises he submitted that under these circumstances the defendants could not claim protection under the Eviction Ordinance. Giving evidence plaintiff said that when the defendant failed to quit the premises he gave a second notice, and, according to this letter, the defendants should have terminated their tenancy in the early part of November.

REQUEST GRANTED

A few days later he met Mr. Wing-shiu, a partner of the defendant firm, and at the meeting Ma said he desired to deliver the premises soon after the Chinese New Year when he would have wound up the debts. Ma requested to be allowed to stay and he granted the request. Plaintiff said that it was not out of spite, because the defendants had refused him a \$1,000 loan; that he now sought possession of the premises. Cross-examined by Mr. Potter, plaintiff said that he had established in Tientsin two shops which had been closed down owing to the war. He later founded a fruit-dealer firm in Macao and that was sold for about \$1,000 in 1937.

Plaintiff denied that before his father's death, he had been to the defendant firm to ask for small loans.

In 1938 the premises in question were given to him as his share in the estate and after he had taken out Letters of Administration he mortgaged the premises for \$12,000.

MORTGAGE PAID OFF

The mortgage was paid off in August this year and a fresh one was entered for \$17,500. The money from the premises was used to settle debts incurred in business.

Plaintiff further denied that on October 1938 he had approached the defendants for a loan of \$400.

The Shanghai Municipal Council has decided to appoint a committee to study the desirability of making changes in the conduct of municipal elections. The following have been invited to serve on the new committee: Messrs. N. F. Alman, C. Rummagall, A. Gathie, G. E. Mitchell, J. Sanavarre and G. Yasui.

GOVERNOR PAYS VISIT TO POLICE STATIONS

His Excellency the Acting Governor, Lt.-Gen. E. F. Norton, accompanied by Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, Colonial Secretary, made an inspection tour of the Police Stations yesterday afternoon.

The party arrived at the Central Police Station about 2.30 and were met by Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Commissioner of Police, and Mr. C. G. Perdue, Deputy Commissioner.

After inspecting the various contingents, His Excellency met many high officials and inspectors.

His Excellency showed keen interest in ARP measures in the Station.

The party left the Central Police Station about 3 p.m. after which they visited No. 2 and No. 7

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1940.

FELICITATIONS OF H.K. FOR DUTCH QUEEN

The following is forwarded by the Colonial Secretary, for publication:

Copy
Colonial Secretary's Office,
Hongkong,
September 6, 1940.

Sir—I am directed by His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government to convey to you on behalf of this Colony His Excellency's felicitations on to-day's anniversary of the accession to the Throne of the Netherlands of Her Majesty Queen Wilhelmina, and to express their confidence in the victory of our common cause and in the ultimate restoration of Her Majesty's Sovereignty over all her dominions.

I am, &c.,
(SD.) N. L. SMITH,
Colonial Secretary.

The Consul-General for the Netherlands,
Hongkong.

Consul-General der Nederlanden voor Zuid-China

Hongkong, September 7, 1940.

Sir—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 6th instant conveying on behalf of the Colony of Hongkong the felicitations of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government on the anniversary of the accession to the Throne of the Netherlands of Her Majesty Queen Wilhelmina.

I shall feel greatly obliged if you will kindly transmit to His Excellency my sincere thanks for his congratulations.

I am, &c.,
(SD.) MIDDELBURG,
Acting Netherlands Consul-General.

The Honourable,
The Colonial Secretary,
Hongkong.

\$200,000 SHANGHAI ROBBERY

SHANGHAI, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—

In the second major armed robbery in three days, five men, armed with mausers, and one with a hand grenade, entered the office of the Stock Exchange building, on Kinkiang Road in the heart of the business district of the International Settlement this afternoon, and stole 30 gold bars, valued at \$6,000 each and Yen 20,000, representing a total value of \$200,000.

It will be recalled that on Monday a trio of gunmen, held up three bank messengers of the Sun Company department store and stole \$100,000, including \$60,000 in notes and a cheque for \$40,000, which the messengers were carrying.

U.S. RED CROSS SEND AID TO HOMELESS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—The American Red Cross Society has ordered the immediate shipment of 500,000 garments for London's homeless through the air raids.

They are prepared to send medical supplies for 10,000 hospital beds.

Funds were cabled to London for the purchase of 42 mobile canteen units, with eight vehicles each, for the feeding of the civilians.

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In the presence of many old friends and shipmates the remains of the late Mr. George Dewey King were laid to rest on Aug. 31, at the Hunglao Road Cemetery, Shanghai. The last rites were carried out by Chaplain H. R. Trump, of the Fourth United States Marine Corps.

177 ITALIAN AIRCRAFT DESTROYED BY R.A.F. IN THREE MONTHS

LONDON, Sept. 11 (BWS)—An R. A. F. communiqué issued in Cairo today states: "In three months since Italy entered the war, 177 Italian aircraft have been definitely destroyed by the R. A. F., South African Air Force, Rhodesian Squadron and French units co-operating with the R. A. F. and the Rhodesian Squadron, in the area of the Middle East Command."

"A further 90 have probably been destroyed."

Italians Sorely Tested

CAIRO, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—Although the Italians are endeavouring to produce a spirited comeback to the R.A.F. raids on Abyssinia and Libya, where they are being sorely tested, their present material is definitely inferior in construction to the British, which are all metal and more suitable for desert use.

Furthermore, the British Navy shows a disconcerting determination to carry out periodical sweeps in the Eastern Mediterranean, interspersed with attacks on Libya and the harrying and sinking of Italian ships.

TENSION IN INDO-CHINA

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The passage of 60,000 troops to China and the sites of aerodromes to be unspecified.

Adm. Decoux is stated to be holding out although pressure is being exerted by Vichy.

The traveller stated that it is felt in Indo-China that the Japanese, in asking for the passage of troops desire also to cut off the Burma-Yunnan Road.

The traveller added that strong forces of Chinese troops are along the frontier and that the Chinese would take action, should even a small force of Japanese troops be granted passage through Indo-China.

He stated there was a report that the cornered Japanese troops tried to break through, via Indo-China, but they were fired on by French troops with nearly 100 casualties.

The traveller denied the arrival in Indo-China of American bombers and added that 95 per cent of the people in the country were pro-de Gaulle but they were unable to act on their own owing to the situation with Japan.

SITUATION UNALTERED

TOKYO, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—The situation in French Indo-China remains unaltered since Monday with the Japanese authorities in Indo-China still negotiating with the local French authorities for an arrangement," said Mr. Suma, the Foreign Office spokesman, today.

"I can say something concerning that some time later," he continued, adding that he was not in a position to say anything for the time being.

He mentioned that official information failed to confirm the Press report of a clash on the border of French Indo-China between French and Chinese troops.

SOME MODIFICATIONS

SHANGHAI, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—Chinese reports received in Kunming state that Adm. Decoux has accepted the Japanese demands with some modifications, says the Tawapao.

These demands include:

Permission for 12,000 Japanese troops to land in Indo-China;

Use of Indo-China railways for military transportation;

Permission for the Japanese troops to camp within 20 miles on either side of the railways, the paper says.

Adm. Decoux is said to have rejected the Japanese demand for the use of aerodromes in Indo-China, however.

A company of foreign military advisers to the Chinese Government has left Kunming by air with General Yang Chieh, ex-Chinese Ambassador in Moscow and now attached to Military Affairs Commission, and Director of military preparations along the Yunnan border, states another message from the same paper.

Strict vigilance is being kept by the Chinese authorities along the Yunnan-Indo-China border against the infiltration of spies; it is learned.

"Bomber, fighter and reconnaissance aircraft of the R. A. F. in three months have flown over 2,500,000 miles.

"Last month, one squadron flew 12,000 miles in a single day's raiding. During the three months, 600 tons of bombs were dropped on objectives in enemy territory."

LONDON, Sept. 11 (BWS)—A Cairo communiqué states:

"EGYPT: On Monday, Mersa Matruh was raided by enemy aircraft, causing slight damage and no casualties.

"KENYA: One of our patrols had a successful encounter with a party of Buna at El Katuo in the north frontier district.

"PALESTINE: On Monday afternoon enemy aircraft raided Tel-a-Viv and the adjoining area.

Bombs were dropped indiscriminately far from any possible military objectives. In Tel-a-Viv, a number of houses were destroyed and some fires were started which were quickly got under control.

"Over 50 civilians were killed, including five Arab children.

"SUDAN: Quiet in all sectors." Reuter reports that 150 persons, including some United States citizens, were killed on Monday's raid in Tel-a-Viv in Palestine.

PALESTINE MOURNS

TEL-A-VIV, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—Palestine is in mourning for the victims of the Italian bombing raid on Tel-a-Viv on Monday and from Jerusalem and all parts of the country have come expressions of deep sympathy and condolence.

104 JEWS KILLED

CAIRO, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—Official figures of casualties show

that 104 Jews and seven Arabs were killed.

CHINESE SHORTHAND SYSTEM

INVENTOR GETS PATENT

It was learned that Mr. George S. C. Chao, of the recording office of the legal department of the Shanghai Municipal Council, has taken out a patent with the Chongking Government for Chao's Chinese shorthand system, reported the North China Daily News.

THREE YEARS

Mr. Chao took three years to evolve his Chinese shorthand system which is now in use in the recording office of the Council's legal department, and which has been hailed as the first Chinese shorthand system. Today there are half a dozen other systems extant.

Elimination of position writing is one of the main features of Chao's shorthand system and also the discarding of the linear system. Certain English shorthand systems were incorporated by Mr. Chao to perfect his own system. His task was no easy one, owing to the complexity of Chinese characters.

Mr. Chao is a fixture at the recording office, having served with the Council as a court recorder for eight years. He is devoting his leisure hours to the study of law.

LONDON, Sept. 11 (BWS)—Chinese reports reaching London from Hongkong that 12,000 Japanese troops have entered French Indo-China are regarded with reserve in authoritative circles here.

Negotiations have undoubtedly broken down between the local French Indo-China authorities and the Japanese authorities on the spot and this was followed by violation of territory by bodies of Japanese at Dingdog.

A tactful French officer persuaded the first body to retire. The second body was disarmed and sent back over the frontier.

There is no knowledge here of further violations and no reliable information regarding the progress of the Vichy-Tokyo negotiations.

BROADCAST BY CHURCHILL

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no one should blind themselves to the fact that a heavy and large-scale attack on this island is being prepared and that it may be launched at any time."

"It may be launched on either Scotland, Ireland or on Britain, or on all three. But if this invasion is going to be tried, it cannot be long delayed. The weather may break at any time and besides this it will be difficult for the enemy to keep this gathering of ships and men waiting indefinitely while they are being attacked by our bombers and warships."

"The next week or so will be important for us in our history. It reminds us of the time we waited for the coming of the Spanish Armada across the Channel, while Drake played his game of bowls."

GREATER SCALE

"What is happening now, however, is on a far greater scale. Every man and woman will, therefore, prepare themselves to do their duty however hard it may be."

Mr. Churchill went on to reiterate the strength of the Royal Air Force in its superiority in men and machines, even though they were out-numbered. The British shores were well and strongly guarded and ready to attack the invaders. The Army was better equipped than it had ever been before.

After using the words quoted at the beginning of this article, the Premier referred to Herr Hitler as the embodiment of evil and hatred, who was trying to break up the British Isles by indiscriminate slaughter and destruction.

"What he has done has kindled a fire in British hearts with the desire to create a better world long after all the results of the conflagration he has caused in London have been removed."

"The British people will not be stopped in their effort to rebuild the temple of man's freedom upon foundations that can never again be easily broken."

"This is the time for everyone to stand together," declared Mr. Churchill, "and to hold firm as they are doing. I express my admiration for the manner in which

the units of the A.R.P. and the Fire Brigade have carried out their work during the recent raids.

"All the world is today admiring the spirit with which the citizens of London are facing the ordeal which they are being subjected to."

"We are fighting not only for ourselves and not only for our own time, but for long and better days that are to come," concluded Mr. Churchill.

26-Year-Old Attractive English Brunette Now In Kweiyang After A Hazardous Journey

CHUNGKING, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—After a hazardous journey by road and river, during which she was robbed by bandits and stopped by Japanese-organised Chinese troops, MISS JOAN STANNIFORTH, a 26-year-old English-woman arrived at Kweiyang from Hongkong to become secretary to Dr. Robert Lim, head of the Chinese Red Cross.

Despite a slight limp, Miss Stanniforth, an attractive blonde, undertook the strenuous trek overland through fighting areas.

She left Hongkong on June 8 after working three years as secretary to Mrs. Selwyn-Clarke, wife of the Director of Medical Services.

Travelling with a small party of foreigners, she went first to Macao. In the group were Mr. G. Peck

Young, a young American writer whose book entitled "China's Wall" recently appeared in bookstores, two Red Cross doctors travelling with Spanish passports, returning from vacation in Hongkong at the American Baptist Missionary, going to Wuchow, and six Chinese missionary girls whose knowledge of English was limited to hymns.

The party travelled in a small sampan, to a village on the West River delta. The boat was stopped six times by bandits during the first night out. The robbers demanded sums varying from \$15 to \$500 under threat of detaining all the passengers for ransom.

ALL VALUABLES

In addition they robbed the group of all valuables that were not hidden. That night cost the travellers \$1,500. The following night, the party was held up by Japanese-trained Chinese troops for six hours. The leader of the troops waved a pistol in the faces of the travellers belligerently and

they were apparently on reconnaissances and no bombs are reported to have been dropped in this area.

Bombs, however, were seen dropped at a few points in Kent and Sussex, and a small number of persons were injured.

NO NEW ORIENTATION IN POLICY OF JAPAN TOWARD SOVIET UNION

Change In Atmosphere May Result, Says Suma

TOKYO, Sept. 11 (REUTER)—THE CHANGE OF AMBASSADOR AND HIS STAFF MAY RESULT IN A CHANGE IN ATMOSPHERE but it does not mean a new orientation in Japan's policy toward the Soviet Union, the spokesman of the Foreign Office, Mr. Suma, told foreign correspondents at a Press conference today.

"I do not think that any change

in our policy toward the Soviet Union is involved, though the Press comment is interesting," stated Mr. Suma when asked whether the selection of Lieut.-Gen. Tatekawa (retired) as Ambassador in Moscow indicates a change in Japan's policy towards the Soviet Union as reported by the Press.

"Lieut.-Gen. Tatekawa as Ambassador is a good choice," the spokesman added.

The spokesman said that some

more successors to the diplomatic posts, vacated by the recent recall of diplomatic representatives from abroad, will be announced in a week's time.

HEARSE WITH ELECTRIC ORGAN

DE LUXE VEHICLE IN MANILA

La Funeraria Paz, Manila's oldest funeral establishment, has ad-

vanced a new de luxe funeral hearse. Now on display at the parlour's display room, the new acquisition has an automatic extension casket table, electrically controlled, reports the Manila Bulletin.

CONCEALED ORGAN

Another innovation is a concealed electric organ with a radio amplifier. Automatically controlled, the organ plays recordings of carillon chimes, hymns and funeral songs.

La Funeraria Paz boasts the largest mortuary in the Orient.

Petronio del Rosario Sr. runs the establishment with the aid of his sons who are all licensed embalmers. Fermín Petronio del Rosario Jr., associate director; and Mariano del Rosario, assistant director. P. L. Guzman is manager and Florentino Torres, associate director.

STREETS EVACUATED

Whole streets in the centre of the city had to be evacuated.

The Agency alleges that the British airmen "carefully avoided all military objectives" and says the raid was made in bright moonlight by planes which were dropped.

500 KILLED

BUCHAREST, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—Five hundred people have been killed as a result of the British air raids on Berlin and the people have been short of sleep for weeks, according to a statement made to Reuter by a reliable traveller who has just returned.

The traveller added that the officials whom he met in one of the larger Wilhelmstrasse Ministries, who were formerly

extremely cocksure and arrogant, but they now appear anxious and uncertain.

Another traveller from Brussels

stated that German officers there seemed extremely depressed.

SMOKE FROM REICHSTAG

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—Smoke could still be seen early this morning from the Reichstag, says the APTEONBLADET'S Berlin correspondent, dealing with the R.A.F. raid and adds that the raid was believed to be the most destructive Berlin had so far experienced.

Hermann Goering's office was

one of the number of streets where fires were started as the result of last night's raid on Berlin, according to the Berlin correspondent of the TIDNIGEN.

FRAUD AT NIGHT CLUB IN MANILA

POLICE LOOKING FOR CANTONESE CASHIER

Police in Manila were looking for Wong Foo, 35-year-old Cantonese cashier at Tom's Oriental Grill, who reportedly left on Sept. 4 with P2,355 of the firm's cash,

reports the Manila Bulletin.

Ships along the waterfront, scheduled to sail either last night or today were searched for the missing cashier as reports were received that he was intending to leave the Islands, but to no avail.

METAL BOX

The loss was discovered several hours after Wong Foo left Tom's. The money was contained in a metal box to which Wong Foo, the night office cashier, and Pedro Pagubitan, office cashier on the day shift, had the keys. Running short of cash, Pagubitan went to open the box but remembered his key was borrowed the night before by the Cantonese, who claimed to have lost his key.

Pagubitan had to saw the box open. He found it empty.

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HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE

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comparatively slight, the victims seeing their houses demolished on emerging from shelters.

BABIES FOUND ALIVE

The bombed school rescue squads found two babies, one nine months and the other six months old, alive and it is thought that they may recover. When the school was wrecked, plans had already existed to transfer these refugees to the country and the transfer would have taken place the next day.

Another hospital was hit in the central district and there were some casualties. One block was badly damaged and demolition workers are still digging in the debris.

Valuable music manuscripts and antique furniture were destroyed when the home of a well-known pianist was damaged by incendiary bombs.

A church in the central area was burned to the ground and a Roman Catholic Church in the same area was partially destroyed, including an altar 300 years old.

Periods of half-an-hour passed during the night when there was not a single detonation, writes Reuter's Air correspondent, suggesting that the attacks were not followed up in force.

However, searchlights were in action and anti-aircraft guns spoke whenever a raider was caught in their beams.

15-MINUTE WARNING

LAMMERT'S AUCTIONS

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions
to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION
on

Thursday, the 12th September, 1940
commencing at 10.30 a.m.
at their godown, No. 2, Wood Road,
Basement:

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

On View from Wednesday after-
noon, the 11th September, 1940.

Terms: Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,
AUCTIONEERS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions

to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION
on

Friday, the 13th September, 1940
commencing at 11 a.m.

at their Sales Room, No. 2 Connaught Road Central, Second Floor.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AND SUNDRIES

Terms: Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,
AUCTIONEERS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions

To Sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION
on

Friday, the 13th September, 1940
commencing at 2.30 p.m.

at their Sales Room, No. 35, Han-
kow Road, Kowloon.

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

comprising:-

Drawing Room, Bed Room, Dining Room and Office Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Wardrobe and Cabin Trunks, Ornaments, Curios, Electric Fans and Lamps, E. P. Brass, Glass and Porcelain Ware, Gramophones and Records, Cameras, Cutlery, Pictures, Cooking Utensils, etc., etc.

also

A FEW PIECES OF BLACKWOOD
FURNITURE
and

1 Enamel Bath
1 Remington Typewriter
1 Pair Binoculars
1 Iron Safe
2 Porcelain Wash Basins
1 R.C.A. Radio-gram

On View from Thursday, the 12th
September, 1940.

Terms: Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,
AUCTIONEERS.



GENERAL

Rare Entertainment For
HongkongMAGICAL REVUE
ON THE STAGE
AT QUEEN'S

RARE ENTERTAINMENT IS IN STORE FOR HONGKONG ON TUESDAY at the Queen's Theatre, the management of which has arranged to present a Magical Revue, comprising 28 American artistes, led by Chang, the magician, who has mystified audiences in every part of the world.

SHOWING FOR A WEEK

Chang and his company were passing through the Colony on their way to the United States, after a most successful world tour and were prevailed upon to hold over their departure so as to afford Hongkong an opportunity of seeing them on the stage.

The Company will appear nightly at 9.30 o'clock for a week, commencing from Tuesday next, Sept. 17.

"TRIP TO HADES"

The most attractive item on their varied programme is the mystic musical revue "A Trip to Hades".

This spectacular and unusual revue is presenting twenty eight unusual and glamourous scenes.

Supporting Chang are a bevy of American artistes headed by two darlings of the New York stage, Joanna and Beth Claire. These talented performers have appeared in many New York productions and will soon endear themselves to Hongkong audiences.

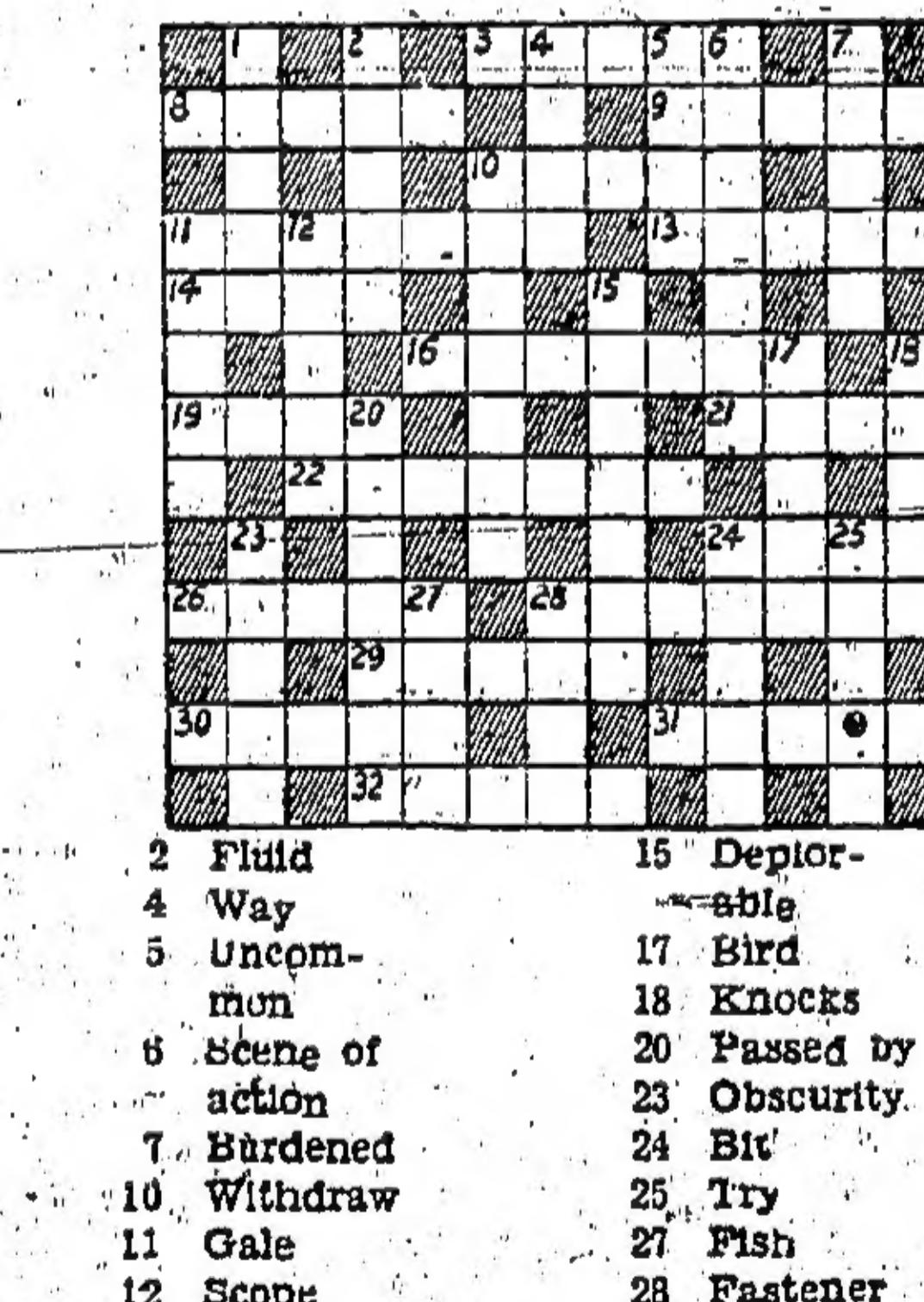
Altogether there is more than one hundred and eighty tons of baggage associated with the show.

GHOSTS AND SPOOKS

The appearance of "Ghosts and Spooks" among the audience has caused consternation in many theatres throughout the world and much excitement is promised Hongkong audiences when they make their appearance at the Queen's Theatre.

The box office for "A Trip To Hades" which commences at the Queen's Theatre will be open shortly.

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter) — The Lord Mayor of London has entered a distress fund for victims of the air raids.

CROSSWORD
NO. 706

SOLUTION TOMORROW

Solution No. 705

ACROSS: 1. Foreigners; 2. Hangs; 3. Vivid; 10. Haste; 13. Mass; 15. Slip; 16. Tourist; 17. Acre; 18. Ease; 19. Audible; 20. Zeal; 22. Ribs; 24. Greet; 27. Eager; 28. Rodeo; 29. Propellers.

DOWN: 1. Flings; 2. Rash; Iris;

4. Nave; 5. Rival; 6. Chimpanzee;

9. Depression; 11. Asunder; 12.

Thimble; 14. Steal; 15. Steer; 21.

Anger; 23. Indus; 24. Grip; 25.

Evil; 26. True.

Mr. G. W. Gubb, Deputy Secretary of the Shanghai Municipal Council, is reported to have tendered his resignation to the Council to join the British forces at home. He has been with the Council for the past five years and in 1938, during the absence on leave of Mr. G. Godfrey Phillips, was acting Secretary and Commissioner-General. Mr. Gubb is a native of South Africa and is 32. He was educated in England.

BLACK-OUT
AFTERMATHPROPRIETOR OF
MAH JONG SCHOOL
FINED \$50

Two summonses for failing to shade their lights during the recent black-out were heard by Mr. H. G. Sheldon at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

Pleading guilty for failing to screen the lights of his house during the black-out Chan Yau-lee, of No. 6, Hau Wo Street, ground floor, was fined \$50.

Insp. F. D. B. Tuckett said that in this case the house was being used as a professional mah-jong school. Fifty to sixty people were playing in the premises at the time and there were seven lights which were not screened.

There was a screen at the door. Defendant pleaded that he was away from the Colony but had left instructions to his folks to screen the lights.

HEARING ADJOURNED

Lam Yau-sang, of No. 229, Des Voeux Road West, ground floor, summoned on a similar offence, pleaded not guilty.

A Chinese constable was passing the house on Aug. 27 at 9.30 p.m. when he saw lights coming out through the cracks of the door of defendant's house. He knocked at the door and asked the people to shade the light.

In the front room there was a light which was covered by a piece of white paper and four people were in the room playing mah-jong.

The case was adjourned to Sept. 25.

CANADIAN ORDER
OF DAY

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter) —

"We will not rest till we defend our homes on German soil. I pledge myself to give the division everything I have or am. What I myself undertake, I ask of every officer and man."

This is what Major-General Victor Odium, commanding the Second Canadian Division, told his troops in an Order of the Day and in a message of welcome.

From HADES!

With a cargo of Devils and Devilettes and 50 tons of magic and mystery!

THE MIGHTY
CHANG

with his company of American artists in the \$50,000 New York stage success.

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FOREIGN MARKETS & QUOTATIONS

MONEY AND EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

SEPTEMBER 11, 1940.

On London:	Telegraphic Transfer 1/3 7/8
	Bank Bills, on demand 1/3 7/8
	Credits 4 months' sight 1/3 1/2
On Shanghai:	
On demand	415
On Singapore:	
On demand	52 3/4
On Japan:	
On demand	55 1/2
On India:	
Telegraphic Transfer	1/3 1/2
On New York:	
Bank Bills, on demand 22 1/2	
Credits, 60 days' sight 23 3/8	
On Batavia:	
On demand	42 1/8
On Paris:	
Bank Bills, on demand 1085	
Credits 4 months' sight 1160	
On Saigon:	
On demand	97 3/4
On Manila:	
On demand	46
On Bangkok:	
On demand	149 1/2
On Sterling Notes:	
Bank Buying Rate	1/5 1/2
Bar Silver per oz.	23 1/2

Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS.

Wednesday, Sept. 11
Silver prices rose yesterday to the extent of 1/16 for Ready and 3/16 for Forward, the quotations being 23 1/2 and 23 7/16 respectively. Silver advices reported the market as being quiet with a small business done. American Silver was quoted at 34 3/4 for Spot.

The London-New York cross-rate was quoted at 402 1/2. New York/London was quoted at 403.

MARKET

Quiet.

STERLING

There were sellers at 1/2 31/32 up to November, buyers at 1/3 for any delivery.

U.S. DOLLARS

Business was done during the early part of the morning at 426 and also 427 1/4. The market closed with sellers at 427 1/2, buyers at 428.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Opened with sellers of Sterling at 3 33/64 and U.S. Dollars at 5. 11/32 for Spot. Closed easier with sellers at 3 1/2 and U.S. Dollars at 5 9/32 for Spot.

Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, Sept. 11 (Reuter).

Official T.T. Rates

London	Opening	0/3-3/8
New York		5
Japan		21-1/4
India		18-5/8
Hongkong		22-3/8
Sterling	Sellers	
Opening	Closing	
Spot	0/3-33/64	0/3-1/2
Sept.	0/3-33/64	0/3-1/2
Oct.	0/3-1/2	0/3-31/64
U.S. Dollars		
Spot	\$5-11/32	5-9/32
Sept.	5-11/32	5-9/32
Oct.	5-5/16	5-1/4
Market	Easy	

Silver Duty Rate

The Central Bank of China's rate on London at 10 a.m. today was 1/2-1/2d.

The Equalisation rate was 24 per cent.

Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, Sept. 10 (Reuter). T.T. on Japan, 81-1/4.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter). Despite the smallness in trading the under-tone in the Stock Exchange was steady though prices in several groups eased on lack of support.

Coppers and Oils were mostly firm. Glidited were lower while the leading home Industrials were generally maintained.

Wall Street was barely steady.

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SINGAPORE RUBBER

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OCT.-DEC.

JAN.-MAR.

The market was quiet.

LONDON RUBBER

S P O T

NOVEMBER

JAN.-MAR.

APRIL-JUNE

After ruling quietly steady the market became dull.

NEW YORK COTTON: The majority of the trade estimates domestic consumption this season at around 8,000,000 bales.

CHICAGO WHEAT: The continued strength of September position was the main constructive influence. The Government estimate of the total crop, Winter and Spring shows 783,560,000 bushels.

NEW YORK STOCKS: Previous close, 129.73; Today's close, 129.61; Change, off .12.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

QUOTATION

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

SEPTEMBER 11, 1940.

STOCKS Last Sale Sept. 10 STOCKS Last Sale Sept. 10

Adams Express	.54	Lockheed Aircraft	.27
Alleghany Steel Co.	.21*	Loew's Inc.	.25
Allis Chalmers	.33*	Lot Incorporated	.21
Aluminum Ltd.	.85	Mack Truck Inc.	.22
Amer. Can	.97	Martin, Glen L.	.31
American Cyanamid B.	.34	McKesson & Robbins, pfd.	.20
Amer. & Foreign Power	.14*	Montgomery Ward	.40
Amer. Locomotive	.16	Mt'ain City Copper Co.	.38
Amer. Metals Co.	.161	National Aviation	.10*
Amer. Radiator	.67	Nat. Dairy Products	.13
Amer. Rolling Mill	.11*	National Distillers	.21*
Amer. St'ng and F'ng Co.	.38*	National Lead	.16*
Amer. Sugar Refining	.13*	Nat. Power & Light	.71
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	.184	National Supply Corp.	.54
Amer. Tobacco "B"	.75*	New York Central	.14
Amer. Waterworks	.84	Niagara Hudson Power	.41
Anaconda Copper	.21*	N. American Aviation	.17
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	.16*	North American Co.	.19
Aviation Corp.	.42	Northern Pacific	.7
Baldwin Locomotive	.14*	Owens-Illinoi Glass Co.	.53
Baltimore & Ohio	.4	Pacific Gas & Elec.	.29*
Barber Asphalt Co.	.10*	Packard Motors	.38
Barnsdall Oil	.84	Pan-American Airways	.14*
Bendix Aviation	.30*	Paramount Pictures	.51
Bethlehem Steel	.78*	Pennsylvania R.R.	.20*
Bilt & Co.	.14*	Philadelphia Read. Coal	.1*
Boeing Airplane Co.	.15*	Phillips Petroleum	.36
Borg-Warner	.17*	Public Service of N.J.	.35
Briggs Mfg.	.20*	Pullman Inc.	.19*
Budd Manufacturing Corp.	.4	Pure Oil	.71
Canadian Pacific R'way	.34	Radio Corp. of Am.	.44
Case, J.I.	.51*	Reading Company, Com.	.13*
Celanese	.28*	Remington Arms Co., Inc.	.44*
Chesapeake & Ohio	.39*	Republic Aviation Corp.	.51
Chrysler Corp.	.76*	Republic Steel	.17*
Columbia Gas & Elec.	.51	Revere Corp.	.91
Commercial Credit Co.	.32*	Reynold Tobac. "B"	.38*
Com. & Southern (Grd.)	.14	SafeWay Stores	.42*
Consolidated Edison	.27*	Schenley Distillers	.94
Consolidated Oil	.84	Sears Roebuck	.79*
Continental Can	.38*	Shell Union Oil	.84
Continental Oil	.18*	Soco-Vacuum Oil	.9
Copperweld Steel	.17*	Southern Pacific	.84
Curtiss Wright (C.)	.74	Southern Rly \$5 pfd.	.19*
Curtiss Wright "A"	.27*	Spicer Manufacturing Co.	.29*
Deere & Co.	.16*	Standard Brands	.64
Distillers Corp., Seagrams	.18*	Stand. Gas & Elec.	.11*
Douglas Aircraft	.74	Standard Oil of California	.18*
Du Pont de Nemours	.168*	Standard Oil of N.J.	.35*
Eagle Picher Lead	.84	Stone & Webster	.74
Eaton Mfg. Co.	.30*	Studebaker Corp.	.71
Elec. Autolite	.33*	Swift International	.17*
Elec. Bond & Share	.51	Technicolor	.10*
Elec. Bond & Share \$5 pf.	.63*	Texas Corp.	.36
Elec. Bond & Share \$8 pf.	.72	Texaco Gulf Sulphur	.32
Elec. Power & Light \$7 pf.	.38*	Timken-Axle	.25*
Flinkote	.14*	Trans-America Co.	.42
Gen. American Trans.	.47*	20th Cent. Fox	.62
Gen. Electric	.33*	Union Bag & Paper Corp.	.11*
Gen. Motors	.47	Union Carbide & Carbon	.73
Gen. Railway Signal	.12*	Union Pacific	.86*
Gen. Tire & Rubber	.12*	United Aircraft	.39*
Glidden Co.	.14	United Airlines Trans.	.16
Goodrich (B.F.)	.12*	United Corp.	.13
Goodrich 5% pf.	.53*	United Corp. \$3 cum pf.	.36
Goodyear Tire & Co.	.16*	United Gas Improvement	.11*
Great Northern Iron Ore	.14*	U.S. Industrial Alcohol	.10*
Great Northern Rly, pfd.	.25*	U.S. Rubber	.22*
Great Western Sugar	.21	U.S. Rubber \$8 pfd.	.96
Greyhound Corp.	.11*	U.S. Steel	.55*
Hercules Powder Co.	.82*	Vanadium	.31
International Harvester	.45*	Vultee Aircraft	.94*
Int. Nickel	.27*	Walworth Co.	.48
Inter. Paper & Power	.14*	Warner Bros. Pict.	.21
Int. Tel. & Tel.	.24	Westinghouse Elec.	.101
Kenrocott Copper	.28*	Woodward Iron Cor.	.26*
Lakey Foundry & Mac.	.34*	Chase National Bank	.28*
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	.40*	National City Bank	.24*

DOW JONES AVERAGE

1939/40	Sept. 9	High	Low	Close	Change
High Dow Jones Averages	139.73	130.63	129.18	129.61	.12 off
Tin, Standard, Cash, Middle	28.87	28.68	27.99	28.19	.15 off
Price, £249 1/4.	22.48	22.45	22.36	22.37	.16 off
Tin, Standard, 3 months, Middle	89.07	89.16	89.16	89.16	.08 up
Price, £251 3/4.	61.06	61.25	61.25	61.25	.19 up
Market	Business, Done:—	369,000 shares			

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NAZI RADIO GLOAT OVER RAID HAVOC IN LONDON

LONDON, Sept. 11 (BWS)—The air attack on London is presented in German wireless broadcasts as a great and exhilarating event and the terrorist quality of the raids is by implication constantly emphasised.

There has been no deposition in London to minimise the serious nature of civilian casualties caused but the R.A.F. will not be diverted from its declared purpose of confining its attacks on Germany and German-occupied territory to military objectives.

The Reich Propaganda Office yesterday attempted in its wireless broadcasts to demonstrate how ineffective are British air attacks, by the publication of casualty figures. It is declared that between May 10 and August 31 total casualties inflicted during British air raids on German territory were 76 persons killed, 29 gravely and 23 slightly wounded.

These figures, if any confidence could be placed in Nazi statistics, would be received in London with nothing but satisfaction since it is no part of British strategy to kill and maim civilians or destroy their homes and would, at the same time manifestly serve to underline the accuracy of the aim of R.A.F. pilots since the scale and intensity of attacks on military objectives in Germany during the past months by the R.A.F. is widely known.

PUBLIC REACTION

LONDON, Sept. 11 (BWS)—Unshakable calm, the increased spirit of determination aroused and the amazing speed with which wreckage is cleared away, are the features of the public reaction to the air raids on London which have most impressed foreign press observers who have been given complete freedom to visit scenes of destruction.

The London correspondent of the Neue Zuercher Zeitung who

PREMIER VISITS BOMBED AREAS

Londoners Are Not Down-Hearted

LONDON, Sept. 11 (Reuter)—Mr. Winston Churchill visited the stricken areas of London yesterday to see for himself what damage had been done during the night.

The crowds of workers that he met expressed themselves of the feelings shared by everyone in London.

At one point a crowd gathered round the Prime Minister. A man shouted "Are we down-hearted?"

With a roar the crowd replied "No!"

A few yards further on another man shouted "Are we going to win?" And as swiftly as the first time the crowd roared an emphatic "Yes."

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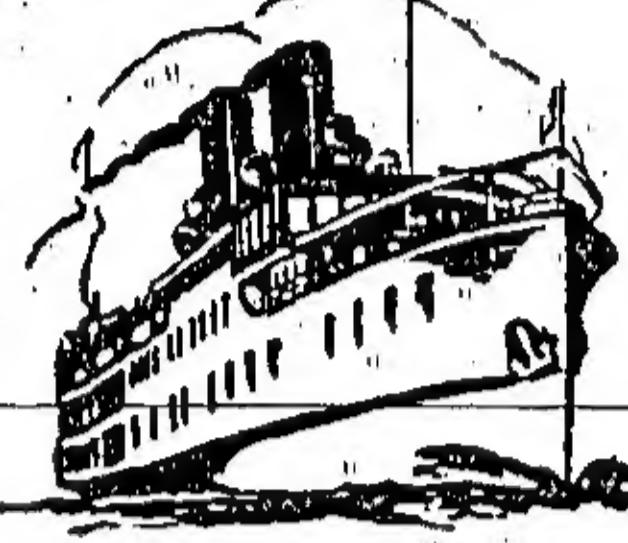
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**BRIGHT PROSPECTS FOR 'A RECREIO'
TO KEEP SENIOR BOWLS TITLE****Few Upsets In League Last
Saturday Afternoon**

In bright weather another full lawn bowls programme was completed last Saturday. There were a few upsets in all three Divisions.

THE DEFEAT OF CRAIGENGOWER CRICKET CLUB AT AUSTIN ROAD BRIGHTENED THE PROSPECTS OF RECREIO 'A' RETAINING THE FIRST DIVISION TITLE FOR YET ANOTHER YEAR.

A big surprise was created by Kowloon Cricket Club by beating the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in the Second Division and the defeat of the Hongkong Cricket Club by the Police Recreation Club in the same Division caused a mild upset.

The main upset was recorded when Hongkong Electric Recreation Club bowed to Craigengower Cricket Club at the Valley, as a result of which the Electrians lost their bright chances of winning the Third Division championship.

Two new records were set by Rakusen's Civil Service rank at Kowloon Docks by beating Cullen's four by the biggest margin in the First Division.

In the Third Division, Y. Abbas' ring also performed this feat the opposing quartette scoring only five shots.

Recreio 'A' playing at the Valley, against the Police Recreation Club, had no difficulty in beating the latter by 41 shots—the biggest win of the afternoon.

Kowloon Bowling Green Club enjoyed an overwhelming victory over Craigengower Cricket Club by 26 shots. "The Valley" team's chances for the title were thus shattered.

Rosselot fared very badly against Sheriff and was beaten by 24 shots. Omar with his re-arranged rink proved no match for Holland, while Bass was the only visiting skip who won.

At the Valley, Hongkong Football Club beat Kowloon Cricket Club by 12 shots mainly due to the splendid effort of Robertson's ring and in particular to the excellent play of Gelling, Robertson's No. 2, who was outstanding. Duncan had a belated recovery to lose only by seven shots to Kern.

Indian Recreation Club beat Recreio 'B' by 11 shots though at one time they were in danger of losing the points.

SECOND DIVISION

Recreio, at King's Park, went down to Craigengower Cricket Club by the narrow margin of four shots. The struggle between the two new skips, C. M. Alves and J.W. Penny, resulted in a victory for the latter by 19 shots. Remedios beat another new skip, W. Ward, by four shots.

Kowloon Tong, playing at home, had a setback against Tukoo Recreation Club losing by nine shots. Gittins went down to Stainton after a close struggle while the game between Kew and Keown, was also very close and the scoring was low.

Police Recreation Club caused a mild surprise by beating Hongkong Cricket Club by nine shots to record their first victory of the season! Soutar, McDonald's No. 3, was deputising at skip and had the better of Davies by 19-14. Channing had no difficulty against Costello and beat the latter by 18 shots. The tussle between the Browns resulted in a victory for the Cricket Club Brown. The Police Brown was acting for Atkins.

Kowloon Bowling Green Club caused a surprise at Cox's Road when they went down to Kowloon Cricket Club by six shots and for this K.C.C. should be thankful to Moss for his big victory over Dray. Moss made short work of Drew scoring 29 shots on 16 heads.

Kowloon Football Club, visiting the Valley, trounced Civil Service Cricket Club by 26 shots.

Hillyer started with a six and was always ahead of Youngusband, Eccleshall proved no match for Field whose front-men played a very consistent game.

THIRD DIVISION

A great surprise was the defeat of Hongkong Electric Recreation Club by Craigengower at the Valley. Scoring was low. Y. A. Razack, who was making his debut as a skip, beat Sloan 17-13.

Kowloon Football Club, playing away, had no difficulty in overcoming the Hongkong Cricket Club by 17 shots. Abraham set a new low score record for the Third Division having five shots against Y. Abbas. Cornell did very well to beat Evans by 10 shots.

THE TEAMS

The following are a few Club selections for this week's Lawn Bowls League programmes:

FIRST DIVISION

RECREIO "A"—F. X. Soares, H. A. Alves, J. E. Noronha, R. F. Luz (skip); L. F. Xavier, C. M. Silva, F. V. Ribeiro, F. X. Silva (skip); J. A. Luz, C. E. Marques, J. F. Ribeiro, C. G. Silva (skip).

INDIAN R. C.—D. M. Khan, S. M. Rumjahn, A. M. Rumjahn, M. R. Abbas (skip); J. Hoosen, A. K. Suffid, A. R. Minu, A. K. Minu (skip); A. H. Rumjahn, S. Yusuf, M. Y. Adal, A. R. Dallah (skip).

**FORECAST FOR
SATURDAY**

Civil Service Cricket Club will be at home to the Kowloon Cricket Club and should have no difficulty in collecting the two points.

Kowloon Bowling Green Club will be the guests of Kowloon Docks Recreation Club and should manage to win.

An excellent game is promised at the Valley between the Craigengower Cricket Club and Recreio 'A'. In my opinion, the Champions should win.

Another interesting game will be witnessed between the Hongkong Football Club and Indian Recreation Club and the latter should annex the points.

There will be no League game for Recreio 'B' and Police R.C. this week.

SECOND DIVISION

Civil Service C. C.—J. Gellatly, A. B. Allen, J. W. Deakin, M. N. Rakusen (skip); M. E. Purvis, D. Hollidge, H. E. Strange, F. J. Jones (skip); C. J. Walker, L. A. Collyer, J. F. McGowan, J. Hollidge (skip).

CIVIL SERVICE C. C.—A. Steven, W. D. Gardner, W. J. Burding, W. R. Hillyer (skip); J. R. Carr, E. W. Colledge, C. Strange, S. Eccleshall (skip); P. D. Crawley, H. F. Harper, E. Kirmon, E. W. C. Simmonds (skip).

SECOND DIVISION

RECREIO—A. J. Osmund, H. R. Pinna, A. M. Rodrigues, O. P. Remedios (skip); P. M. N. Silva, J. A. Remedios, F. Xavier, P. A. Yvanovich (skip); M. Alarcon, A. F. Noronha, A. M. Xavier, E. Souza (skip).

CIVIL SERVICE C. C.—A. Steven, W. D. Gardner, W. J. Burding, W. R. Hillyer (skip); J. R. Carr, E. W. Colledge, C. Strange, S. Eccleshall (skip); P. D. Crawley, H. F. Harper, E. Kirmon, E. W. C. Simmonds (skip).

FRIENDLY MATCH

The following will represent Recreio 'B' in a friendly match against the Kowloon Bowling Green Club—L. A. Osmund, C. A. Lopes, L. Silva, B. Basto (skip); C. F. Vas, D. J. Alves, C. H. Basto, J. J. Basto (skip).

QUARTER-FINAL MATCH

The quarter-final match in the lawn bowls Pairs Championship between L. J. Silva and J. F. V. Ribeiro and C. F. Needham and A. Brooksbank, will be played this afternoon at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club instead of on Sunday.

THIRD DIVISION

Kowloon Bowling Green Club will be at home to Hongkong Cricket Club and should secure the points.

VALLEY TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were clocked at Happy Valley during training gallops yesterday:

	Dis-	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Last
	Tance	Qu.	Qu.	Qu.	Qu.	Qu.
Albury	1	34.4	1.09	1.40.2	2.07.4	27.2
Springasmine	1	32.3	1.04	1.35.4	2.05.3	30.4
Grand Allegiance	2	37	1.12			—
For All Time	1	38	1.15	1.49	2.21	32
Baffin Bay	1	38	1.17	1.51.2	2.21.1	29.4
A Great Time	2	34.1	1.05.1	1.33		27.4
Just In Time	1	31	1.02.3	1.35.3	2.08.1	32.3
Viceroy	1	40.2	1.18.1	1.46.3		28.2
Lancashire Lass	1	38	1.08.4	1.38.2		29.3
Winifred	1	41	1.20	1.52.3	2.22	29.2
Celtic Star	1	39	1.16	1.47.4	2.19.3	31.3
Springhurst	2	35	1.09	1.35		29
Ascot Day	2	36.2	1.11	1.42	2.10.2	28.2
Shuttlecock	2	44	1.25	1.57		32
Guiness Time & Smiling Time	1	34	1.10.4	1.47.2	2.21	33.3
Brown Derby	1	38	1.11	1.45	2.14	29
Fair Chance & Income Tax	1	32.2	1.02.3	1.30.3	1.58.2	27
Resisting Time	1	42.1	1.20.2	1.56	2.26.2	30.2
Victoria & Powerful Kid	1	38	1.11	1.41.2	2.12	30.3
Ronson	1	40	1.16	1.50	2.21	31
Tornado Star	1	46	1.29.2	2.09.2	2.47.3	38.1
Warrego River	1	39	1.16	1.51.2	2.23	31.3
Comedy Star	1	39	1.11.1	1.45.1	2.14.3	29.2
Tarzan	1	48.4	1.19	1.53.4	2.21.3	27.4
Golden Cow	1	36.3	1.12	1.46.3		34.3
Phoenix & Royal Highness	1	39	1.12	1.46	2.21	35
Clown	1	44	1.18.1	1.51.4	2.25.3	34.4
A Green Time	1	36.4	1.10.4	1.40.1		29.2
Taxing Master	1	39	1.13.2	1.46.4	2.17.2	30.3
Lovely Kid	1	37	1.13.2	1.48.2	2.18.3	30.1
Hillsboro Bay & Galveston Bay	1	38.2	1.12.4	1.46.1	2.17	30.4
Ascot Vale	1	37.3	1.13	1.49.3	2.23.3	32
Pinfarthings	2	29	1.02.2	1.34		31.3
Rose Flora	1	37	1.13	1.47	2.19.2	32.2
Tim	2	38	1.17	1.55.2		38.2
Finalist	2	36.3	1.10.2	1.40.1		29.4
March Brown	1	43	1.16.4	1.53	2.29.1	36.1
Boatlak Bay & West Lake	2	38	1.13	1.47		34
Salvage Master	2	41.2	1.18.3	1.50.1		31.3
Chatter Box	1	42	1.21.3	1.56.2	2.30.2	34
Gold Coin	2	37.3	1.12.3	1.48.3		34
Triumphant Day	1	37	1.12	1.43	2.11	28
Centre Court	1	37	1.12.4	1.48	2.18.2	30.2
Connieber	1	29.4				